

EXPLOSION CAUSED BY PLOTTERS; 122 DEAD, 150 INJURED, 23 MISSING

BUTLER AMES APPOINTED HEAD OF STATE GUARD

NOTICE

SOCIAL AND DANCE
BY
THE FOUR OF US
Illustrated by Dorothy and Virginia

HIGGINS BROS.
UNDERTAKERS
Funeral chambers and all modern conveniences. A whole building is utilized for the purpose.

We have a very large supply of stockings, women's, children's and men's, in silk, cotton or woolen.
Alice Tangberg, Lowell High School
Commercial Dept.

I, the undersigned, do hereby solemnly affirm that certain false and malicious stories of being a Communist Party member, and of being a spy, have been started by irresponsible persons who are damaging to my character as an American citizen. My home interests are here and my four children attend the public schools of this city. I am, first, last and always, a loyal to the Stars and Stripes and that they stand for, and at the same time I shun the utmost disgrace of the National Emblem. It is my desire that this statement be read by my friends and every citizen of Lowell. Signed,

APPLICANTS FOR ENLISTMENT
IN LOWELL BATTERY WILL BE
EXAMINED THIS EVENING

EDWARD W. FREEMAN'S
The Bridge St. Jeweler.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 11.—The stars and stripes went into battle for the first time during the world war during the recent enterprise storming of Vimy ridge in France, according to an unofficial despatch received here today from Canadian army headquarters in Europe.

"To a young Texan belongs the honor of first carrying the American flag into battle in the European war, into which the United States, as a belligerent has just entered. He went up to the assault at Thelus carrying

FOR HOME GUARD DUTY

The call is sent out to all men of the city of Lowell 35 years of age or over to meet at the State Armory in Westford street at 7.30 o'clock this evening to enlist in the Home Guard; men who will be subject to a call for duty anywhere within Massachusetts. Enlistments will be received between the hours of 7.30 and 10 o'clock by members of the Home Guard committee of the local committee on public safety. A Home Guard is imperative as a duty call may come at any moment.

115 LAWRENCE ST. TEL. 1401

Commercial Dept

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(Helen, Edith, Ruth and Louise)

For Men Only
See the window display for men at
EDWARD W. FREEMAN'S

THE FOUR OF US
Elvina hall, Button st., Friday even-
ing, April 15. Wolff's Orchestra, Dance-
ing, 8 to 12. Admission 25 cents.

EDWARD W. FREEMAN'S
The Bridge St. Jeweler.

GERMANS KILLED 250 AMERICANS

Have Sunk 19 of Our
Ships and Attacked
8 Others

Submarines Destroyed
686 Neutral Vessels
During War

WASHINGTON, April 11.—German submarines have sunk during the war a grand total of 686 neutral vessels, including 19 American, and have attacked unsuccessfully 79 others, including eight American, according to an official tabulation given out at the state department yesterday, and complete up to April 3. Since the German war zone went into effect on Feb. 1 more than one-third of the vessels sunk have been neutral, and a large number of other neutral vessels have been terrorized into staying in port.

No estimate is available of the number of lives lost on neutral vessels, but it is shown to have been large. Official reports show that about 250 Americans have been lost on neutral and belligerent steamers together.

The department's statement follows: "Information has been received by the department that since the beginning of the war, including April 3, a total of 686 neutral vessels have been sunk by German submarines as follows:

Norwegian 410, Swedish 111, Dutch 61, Greek 50, Spanish 33, American 19, Peruvian 1, Argentine 1—total 686.

"Neutral vessels attacked, and escaped: Norwegian 32, Swedish 9, Danish 5, Dutch 13, Greek 8, Spanish 2, Argentine 1, Brazilian 1, American 8—total 79.

IF YOU SUFFER FROM DYSPEPSIA

Your stomach needs help and just the kind of help Dys-pep-lets give. The prescription should be: A Dys-pep-let or two after eating, and a little rest before and after dinner and supper. A successful physician says so.

Dys-pep-lets are sugar-coated digestive tablets, prompt and pleasant—a peculiar combination of the best digestives, carminatives and correctives. They are giving great satisfaction.

Get a bottle today at your druggist's. Price 10c, 25c or \$1. Prepared only by C. F. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

PLAN FOR INCREASING SOIL CULTIVATION

SUPERINTENDENTS OF MILLS OF
AMERICAN WOOLLEN CO. CONFER
WITH PRES. WOOD

BOSTON, April 11.—Superintendents of mills of the American Woollen Co. in Lawrence, Andover and Methuen were called to this city today by President William M. Wood to confer on a plan for increasing soil cultivation in their districts. The conference resulted from the recommendation of the state committee on public safety that manufacturers set aside vacant land for home gardening by their employees and furnish fertilizer and seed at cost.

RED CROSS NURSE HELD BY THE GERMANS

HAVERHILL GIRL WHO WENT TO
BUCAREST IMPRISONED BY THE
GERMANS

HAVERHILL, April 11.—A letter received by Miss Nellie M. Moore, from Miss Pauline M. Jordan of this city, who went with a Red Cross party to Bucharest last November, brought the information that Miss Jordan had been imprisoned by the Germans. She wrote that she had been placed in a basement, which was bitterly cold and was provided with only a very little food. Previous letters had told of Miss Jordan's escape to the Russian border after the bombardment of Bucharest, and the place of her capture and imprisonment was not made known in her letter to Miss Moore.

GREAT BANQUET BY THE LAWRENCE PRINTERS

Arrangements are practically completed for the Lawrence Typographical union, which will be held in the Lawrence city hall on Wednesday evening, April 18. The list of speakers is one of the best that ever graced a banquet board in that city. Among those who will respond are Governor McCall, Herbert Parker, former attorney general of Massachusetts, Mayor Curley of Boston, former president James M. Lynch of the I.T.U. and now labor commissioner of New York, Judge Thomas P. Riley of Malden, Dennis E. Callahan of Lawrence, W. Scott Peters, former district attorney of Essex county, District Attorney Louis E. Cox and Joseph Dulles, organizer of the printers of this district. Senator Lodge and Congressman Rogers and Phelan had accepted but were forced to cancel on account of the war. Mayor O'Donnell and other city officials and the city governments of Lawrence and Haverhill, and the town governments of North Andover, Andover and Methuen, and Humphrey O'Sullivan, Hon. James B. Casey and Fred A. Spauld.

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5 ft. x 8 ft. \$1.00 4 ft. x 6 ft. 89c



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ABOLISH FAST DAY AS LEGAL HOLIDAY

S. H. SENATE PASSES BILL—NEW
HOLIDAY TO BE CALLED "AMERICAN DAY"

CONCORD, N. H., April 11.—The state senate yesterday passed the house bill abolishing fast day as a legal holiday and substituting the fourth Thursday in April. The bill goes back to the house as the senate made an amendment styling the new holiday as "American day" in place of the house designation of "Stark-Sullivan day" in honor of New Hampshire revolutionary heroes.

PORTLAND PASTOR QUILTS AFTER PEACE SERMON

PORTLAND, Me., April 11.—Rev. Charles R. Joy, who was hung in effigy after he preached a pacifist sermon Sunday, will not occupy his pulpit as pastor of the First Parish church until the parish meeting, soon to be called, has acted on his resignation.

The parish committee met yesterday afternoon and voted to secure a supply for next Sunday and other Sundays, should there be delay, until the entire membership has acted on the resignation which he gave to the committee yesterday morning. This is virtually a recommendation by the committee that the resignation be accepted.

The committee is opposed to a further continuance of the pastorate on account of his utterances regarding the

war. But little doubt is expressed that the resignation will be accepted by the parish.

Walnut Club—Tonight.

LAND FOR CULTIVATION

BOSTON, April 11.—The board of directors of the Massachusetts real estate exchange is preparing a circular letter to be sent by its members to owners of land available for cultivation throughout the state. The letter will request that such land be appraised at a nominal charge to persons agreeing to cultivate it to its capacity.

ORDINANCE REGULATING JITNEY TRAFFIC

Certain sections of the ordinance drafted by City Solicitor Regan relative to the regulation of the so-called jitney traffic, which was passed to be ordained by the municipal council yesterday, follow:

Ordinance, providing for the licensing and regulation of the transportation of passengers for hire as a business in the city of Lowell, by means of any motor vehicle, except the trackless trolley vehicle, so-called, not running on tracks or rails.

Be it ordained by the municipal council of the city of Lowell, as follows: Section 1. On and after the first Monday of June, 1917, no person, association or corporation shall engage in the business of transporting in the city of Lowell passengers for hire, by means of any motor vehicle, except the trackless trolley vehicle, so-called, not running on tracks or rails, and operated for the purpose of affording a means of transportation similar to that ordinarily afforded by street railways.

Section 2. Any person violating any of the within rules, restrictions, requirements or regulations shall be liable to a fine not exceeding \$20 for each offense.

Section 3. No person shall be licensed to operate a motor vehicle, except the trackless trolley vehicle, so-called, not running on tracks or rails, and operated for the purpose of affording a means of transportation similar to that ordinarily afforded by street railways, until such person, association or corporation shall have obtained a license from the city of Lowell, as follows:

The license fee for such licenses, which shall be used to said commission for said city, before the issuance thereof, is hereby fixed at the rate of five dollars for each and every motor bus, five dollars for each and every motor vehicle, and ten dollars for each and every motor vehicle, the seating capacity of which exceeds five persons.

Said commission shall issue to the licensee a license, which shall be in the words, "Licensed Motor Bus No. _____, Lowell, 1917," and setting forth the serial number of the license. Said license shall be attached to and kept on the dash of the bus at all times, and shall be subject to inspection by the city of Lowell, at any time, and the license shall be in use in any public street or place in said city.

The license shall pay, in addition to the license fee, a sum not exceeding the most of said motor vehicle, and shall be charged, and the license number of the bus, which shall be so attached or joined to the lower portion of the windshield or on the dash of the bus, or if the bus is of the closed type, on the top and side thereof, so as to be plainly visible to persons on the street. The letters and figures contained on the sign shall not be less than 2 1/2 inches in height and shall have a stroke of not less than 1/4 of an inch in width, or the same may be displayed by an electric sign or otherwise to the satisfaction of said commission.

No other advertising sign of any kind shall be placed on or attached to any motor bus, except on such part or parts of the inside thereof as shall be first approved by said commission.

Any such motor bus as is licensed hereunder shall operate on a regular schedule and shall not operate on any day shall stop any motor bus for a longer period than five minutes to change at either terminal before starting on another trip, excepting, however, when such terminal is within the streets and places described in the preceding section.

Section 4. No driver or person on any day shall stop any motor bus for a longer period than five minutes to change at either terminal before starting on another trip, excepting, however, when such terminal is within the streets and places described in the preceding section.

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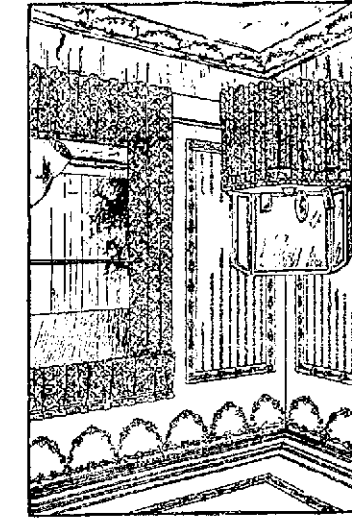
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The Bon Marche

DRY GOODS CO.

Spring Showing of Wall Papers



Now Is the Time to Make Your Selections

Whatever you need in wall paper—or interior decorating, you will find it in our wall paper department. Come in and let one of our men show you the newest things in wall papers and help you to plan and select the most suitable design and coloring for that particular room.

Every season brings out many new designs and colors. See our "fixture display." It offers the most practical and helpful suggestions. Our papered screens give you a good idea of how each individual paper will look on the wall.

The following will give you an idea of what we are showing:

CHAMBER PAPERS

We are showing a most attractive line of chamber papers, entirely new designs, beautiful colorings, with cretonnes to match.
12 1/2c to 50c Roll

Large Assortment of Grass Cloth and Fabric Papers in the latest grays and all the new colors.....15c to \$1.50 Roll

Beautiful Cut Out Borders and Small Stencil Borders for the above papers, from 3c to 35c Yard

We are showing a wonderful line of tapestries, suitable for any room in the house, including many specials made by "Thomas Strahan" and M. H. Birge & Sons.

hour; provided, however, that the speed of a motor bus shall at all times be reasonable and proper, having in view traffic congestion and other conditions.

Section 14. Any person violating any of the within rules, restrictions, requirements or regulations shall be liable to a fine not exceeding \$20 for each offense.

Section 15. No license shall be granted to any person, association or corporation, under the provisions of the foregoing sections, to operate any such motor bus, within the limits of the city of Lowell, until such person, association or corporation shall have filed with the city treasurer a bond in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000), signed by the licensee, as principal, and by a corporation which shall have complied with all the provisions of law relating to transacting the business of a guaranty, fidelity and surety company within this commonwealth; or such other securities as shall be approved by the license commission and the city treasurer, who shall be jointly and severally liable, conditioned to

pay any final judgment obtained against the individual, association or corporation named in the bond for any injury to person or property, or damage for causing the death of any person by reason of any negligence or unlawful act on the part of the principal named in said bond, his or its agents, servants or drivers, in the use or operation of the motor bus so licensed.

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The ORIGINAL
Malted Milk
Safe Milk
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Dr. Hewson's New Triple Section Artificial Teeth.
Invisible, natural, comfortable. A boon to all who have to wear a dental plate.
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This plate is an exclusive feature of Dr. Hewson's dental service. It cannot be obtained elsewhere. This plate cannot drop, rock or come loose. The eldest observer cannot detect it. It is natural and everlastingly comfortable.

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4000 yards of gingham in large remnants, good quality, in large variety of new spring patterns, plain chambray, checks, stripes and plaids.

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Six cases of the very best quality of percale, 36 inches wide, light and dark colors, in all new spring styles; 17c value on the piece.

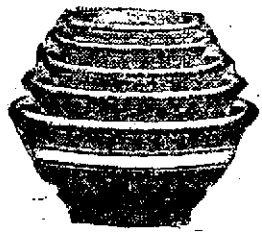
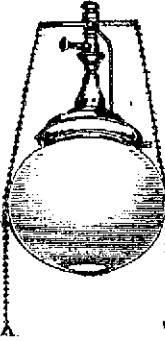
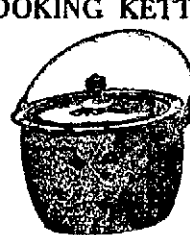
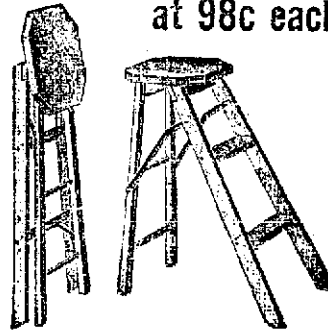
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with stand and holder; 98c
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with cord attached, the other
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For This Sale**IRONING TABLES**Good quality, fold-
ing catch adjust-
ment for raising,
regular \$1.40 value.
98c Each
Skirt Boards, good size, 5 ft.
high, regular 98c value.
Priced 69c Each**NICKEL TEA KETTLES**Rome goods,
seamless copper
body, nickel
plated, No. 7
size. For this
sale 98c Each
No. 8 size. For
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\$1.29 Each**Chalifoux's
CORNER**

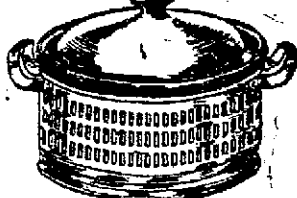
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ELEVATOR****Dry Mops**Fine white twine, for
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Treated and Colored
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value. Priced
49cThe O Cedar Mop and 50c bottle
of Wizard Polish; \$1.25 value
for 81c
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of Wizard Polish; \$1.00 value
for 68c**WINDOW BRUSHES**Good size, fine quality bristles
for this sale 49c Each**GAS IRONS**Full size nickel finish and polished,
complete with metal tubing. The
wholesale price on these irons today
is \$1.45. Priced for this sale,
\$1.00**ANNIVERSARY SALE****In Our Newly Enlarged House Furnishing Department**

On account of the growth of this department we have taken our entire fifth floor, thereby enabling us to carry a much larger stock and giving us a chance to display it on a larger scale for the convenience of the shopping public. Thursday, Friday and Saturday we will offer special inducements made possible by purchase made before the advance in prices.

BOWLS**NEST OF (6) BLUE BANDED
BOWLS**Priced for This Sale **49c****Miller's Junior Lamps**Center Draught Burner. Jap
bronze and black finish, complete
with white dome shade. Just the
lamp for your summer
cottage. Priced **\$2.29****Stead's
Inverted
Gas
Burners**Complete with chain by
pass or lighter and with
inverted arm; \$1.49 value,
for this sale **98c**
Stead's Soft Inverted Man-
ifes; regular 10c value
for 5c**GRAY ENAMELED
COOKING KETTLES**Round, seamless covered, 5
quart size, usually 50c, for
this sale 39c Each
8 quart size, usually 60c, for
this sale 49c Each**TEA KETTLES**Gray enameled ware, seamless,
flat bottoms, enameled
covers, 7 quart size; regu-
lar price 98c, for this
sale 59c Each**DISH PANS****GRAY ENAMELED
WARE**11 quart size, rolled
edge, seamless; regu-
lar price 69c each; 17 quart size, side handles,
seamless, for this sale **39c Each****THREE STEP FOLDING LADDERS**—Fold up by
simply grasping top, well made of heavy stock
and varnished; regular \$1.49 value. Priced
at 98c each**STONE CROCKS**

Covered, used for preserving eggs and other uses.

4 gallon 69c
6 gallon 89c
this sale
5 gallon size. For this sale **79c****HEISEY'S GLASSWARE AT HALF PRICE**79c Bowls for 39c
59c Bowls for 29c
39c Bowls for 19c
79c Oval Dishes for 39c
35c Oval Dishes for 15c
35c Jugs for 49c
\$3.50 Punch Bowls for \$1.75
\$1.19 Tumblers for 60c
98c Whiskey Glasses for 39c**\$1.50 Casserole Baking Dishes, 98c**Nickel plated handled frame with
7 inch covered brown and white
baking dish.**GAS RANGES**The "Chief" has
three burners on
top, with baking
and broiling burn-
er, five burners in
all; \$12.50 value.
Priced **\$8.98**Two burner, black iron Gas
Stoves; regular \$1.98 value.
Priced **\$1.39**
Two burner, Star Burners, plain
patterns, full nickel finish. Gas
Stoves; regular \$2.75 value.
Priced **\$1.98****CLOTHES LINES**Norman Weatherproof, will not
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50 ft. size 35c
75 ft. size 49c
100 ft. size 70c**OVAL WILLOW
CLOTHES BASKETS**Small size 98c
Medium size \$1.29
Large size \$1.39
Extra large size \$1.49**Cut Glass Fern Dish**Floral design cutting, complete with
lining and preserved fern.
Priced **\$1.49****WATER PAILS**Seamless, Enameled.
Steel Water Pails;
regular 40c value,
for 25cIndurated fibre or pulp,
seamless and sani-
tary; regular 20c
value. Priced 25c**BOWL AND PITCHER
SETS**All White Enameled Steel, unselected
goods, worth \$1.98. Priced **\$1.25 Set**
Crockery ware; regular 98c value,
Priced 69c Set**ENAMELWARE**Blue and White Enameled Sauce-
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at 25c EachGray Enameled Saucepans; regular
29c value. Priced 19c EachWhite Enameled Chambers; regular
49c value. Priced 39c EachWhite Enameled Chambers; regular
39c value. Priced 29c**CHOCOLATE SETS**Nippon China; regular \$1.98
value. Priced \$1.49Nippon China; regular \$2.98
value. Priced \$1.98

Wizard Dustless Dusters; regular 25c value. Priced 15c

3 Dozen Clothes Pins for 5c

Skirt and Trouser Hangers 2c Each

Cut Glass Tumblers; regular 10c value. Priced 5c Each

Wallace Vacuum Electric Lamps; regular \$1.00 value. Priced \$1.98

Electric Lamps with silk shades; regular \$3.00 value. Priced \$1.87

Coffee Percolators, 9 cup size; regular \$5.00 value. Priced \$2.92

Set of Five Earthenware Bowls; regular price 98c. Priced 79c

Semi-Indirect Gas Fixtures; regular \$10.00 value. Priced \$6.69

3-Burner Blue Flame Cook Stoves; regular \$5.00 value. Priced \$3.50

Big Variety of Kitchen Knives; regular 50c value. Priced 25c

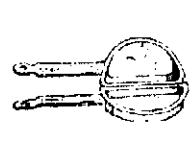
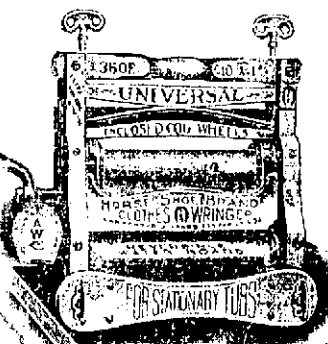
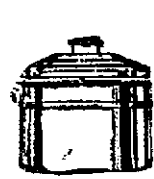
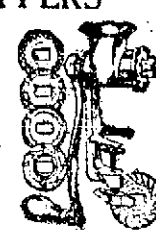
English Pocket Knife Blades; regular 25c value. Priced 19c Each

Sanitary Bread Board; regular \$1.50 value. Priced 49c

Upholstered Chair Seats; regular 30c value. Priced 25c

Dover Egg Beaters; regular 10c value. Priced 5c

La Bastie Lamp Chimneys; reg. 15c and 25c value. Priced 5c and 10c

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have ten arms, each 22 inches
long, half the arms (five of
them) spread or fold up at
one movement; regular 60c
value for 49c
Special Lot of 5-arm Clothes
Dryers, marked at 25c Each
Folding Wash Benches; regu-
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49c Each**CLOTHES BASKETS**Good quality, oblong, spint, 25
inch size, priced 49c each, 25
inch size; priced 59c Each**ALUMINUM OMELET OR
DOUBLE FRYING PANS**Regular \$1.75 value. Priced
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tubs, marked at \$2.50 Each
Number 240 "Universal" grade, 10
inch rolls for set tubs, \$3.99
Number 241 "Universal" grade, 11
inch rolls, for set tubs, \$4.25
Number 242 "Universal" grade, ball
bearing, 10 inch rolls, for set
tubs, \$4.25
Number 243 "Universal" grade, ball
bearing, 11 inch rolls, for set
tubs, \$5.00
Number 244 "Universal" grade, en-
closed covers, ball bearing, for set
tubs, all sizes, \$4.50
Number 245 "Royal" grade, ball bear-
ing, 10 inch rolls, for set tubs,
at \$4.50
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bearing, 11 inch rolls, for set tubs,
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Choice 39c Each**DOUBLE BOILERS**Gray enameled, seamless,
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wood handles; two largest
sizes; regular value \$1.39
and \$1.98; choice of either
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Choppers, five different
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this sale, Each **69c****ECLIPSE BREAD MIXER**
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Priced \$0.50
Mahogany Cabinet Shocks; regular 70c value. Priced 49c
Large assortment of Cut Glass; regular 98c value. Priced 49c
Cut Glass Sugar and Cream Sets; regular 25c value. Priced 79c
Cut Glass Water Sets; regular \$1.50 value; 7 pieces for \$1.49
Cut Glass Water Sets; regular 50c value; 7 pieces for \$3.98
Water Motor Washing Machines; regular \$15.00 value. Priced \$10.00
Little Wonder Gas Stoves, with oven; regular \$2.50 value. Priced \$2.25
Gas Ovens; regular \$1.50 value. Priced 98c Each
Steel Roasting Pans; regular prices 10c, 15c and 25c. Priced
8c, 10c, 12c and 15c
Covered Roasting and Baking Pans; regular 10c value for 25c
Victor Flour Sifters; regular 10c value. Priced 10c
Wooden Clothes Line Reels; regular 10c value for 5c
Vacuum Bottles, keep liquids hot for 24 hours; regular \$1.00 value.
Priced 69c Each**Quaker White Silk Strain-
ers; 25c value. Priced 19c**Gray Enameled Chambers,
second; regular 39c value.
Priced 29cTwine Chopping Bags; regu-
lar 35c value for 25c EachWorld Brand Eight Day
Nickel Alarm Clocks; regu-
lar \$3.25 value for \$2.00Nickel Bell Alarm Clocks;
regular \$1.75 value. Priced
at \$1.25**Wooden Kitchen Clocks, 1-2
hour strike; regular \$4.50
value. Priced \$3.50**Bisque Mantel Clocks; regu-
lar \$2 value. Priced \$1.00Camera Lunch Boxes; regu-
lar 25c value. Priced 19cAluminum Coffee Percolat-
ors, 8 cup size, with black
enameled handles; value
\$3.99 \$1.98 EachWear-Ever Aluminum, seamless cov-
ered, long handle, four quart sauce-
pans; regular \$1.75 value.
Priced \$1.23Large Size Cast Aluminum Tea-
kettles; regular value \$5.00.
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AUTOMOBILE QUESTION BOX

Motoring Department, The Sun—Have a 1915 Metz 23 which until with in last two weeks has run perfectly. Now, when cranked, will run all right for about one minute, then trails off as if out of gas. I know there is lots of water in gasoline, so draw off both carburetor and strainer cup, but result the same, so drained entire gasoline tank and partly filled with fresh gasoline. But still the same results. Then I flooded carburetor, poured boiling water on manifold, spun crank, let engine run pretty well for half minute, then gradually slowed down, got in car, and ran several miles. However had to handle it gingerly, else it would have stalled. Spark plugs are O. K., in fact everything seems in perfect order, except for the trouble I have told. I thank you in advance for any information you might give.

P. S.—I forgot to state that it acts in same manner every time I want to use machine.

J. F. S.
Ans. If you are troubled habitually with water in the gasoline, make a practice of straining through chamois skin. This will remove the water perfectly, and also any dirt and dust which would give trouble later. Remove carburetor and see if pipe around valve is clear, and turn on the gasoline to see if a clear, full stream comes from tank. It is quite possible that carburetor is out of adjustment, or it may be due to the throttle closing too far.

Motoring Department, The Sun—What do you advise regarding the use of so-called gasoline patches? Are they reliable? Can they be applied by any one without special instruction? Please give detailed instructions for applying them.

R. A. C.
Ans. These patches are called "gasoline patches" because no cement is required with them, it being already on the patch, only needing gasoline to soften it up ready for use. Prepare the tube around the puncture by

roughening it up with emery cloth or sandpaper and cleaning it off with gasoline. Remove the cloth on the patch by pouring some gasoline on it. This softens the cement, but it would be well to use some cement in addition, especially on the tube. Lay this in a smooth coat and allow to dry. When it loses its gloss and is dull all over it is ready. Lay patch over puncture, pressing down firmly all around. It is then ready to be put in the shoe and pumped up.

Motoring Department, The Sun—I own a Dodge car, 1915 model. Up to four months ago I had it overhauled thoroughly, and it ran perfectly until about a month ago. When I start the motor and let it run a few minutes, as I was told, and try to start off it pops and jumps and in order to get it to run smooth again you have got to stop and let it run about fifteen minutes. I have had the carburetor adjusted, but it remains the same. Kindly let me know the best way to remedy this.

R. N. V.
Ans. Judging from the symptoms your engine merely needs warming up, a common trouble in winter. Possibly the mixture is a little too weak, which should be corrected. You have doubtless inspected the spark and found it all right.

Motoring Department, The Sun—I have a Chandler 14 Six. I would like to know if this model car has what they call a dry-clutch and if I have to oil it or does the clutch oil from motor. I have considerable trouble shifting gears when I start in the morning, after leaving car stand all night. I do not see any reason for this trouble. There is a peculiar noise in differential or transmission. I cannot locate this, and it generally starts when I have gone about five to ten miles distance and when I am going at from twenty to twenty-five miles per hour, and sounds as if some gear or whatever this noise is not running true, as it bounces on one-half turn and clears the other half. I hope you can understand what I mean. The clutch on Liming gears makes a terrible rattling continually. Is there anything I can do to stop this? An expert reply in your paper will be greatly appreciated.

W. J. D.
Ans. Model 14, six cylinder, is provided with a disc clutch running in oil, filled by hand, not from the engine. The trouble in shifting gears is probably due to using too heavy a transmission oil. Use a heavier oil in winter. Evidently level gear on differential is wearing or coming loose and should be attended to. Use a heavier grease to quiet the noise for the present. Perhaps the timing gear chains need retensioning with new ends. A careful inspection should be made.

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EASTER CARNIVAL AT ASSOCIATE HALL

LADIES' AID SOCIETY OF ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH MEET WITH GREAT SUCCESS

Associate hall was the scene of a very pretty social function, last night, the occasion being the Easter carnival under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of St. Patrick's church. The meritorious work done by this organization since its formation is well known, and inasmuch as the proceeds of the affair are to be used in the work of the society the members of the parish as well as those of other parishes throughout the city turned out in large numbers and laid the hall to its capacity. Owing to the energetic work of the members of the organization, assisted by friends, the affair proved a grand success both from a social and financial standpoint.

The interior of the hall was decorated in an artistic manner, the sides of the walls being draped with red, white and blue bunting, clusters of American flags being artistically arranged in the corners of the hall. A large American flag floated on a tall pole in the center of the hall, and a variety of white flowers and greenery added to the appearance of the place.

The tables and booths arranged around the hall were also prettily decorated and were well patronized during the evening.

One of the pleasing features of the

evening was the artistic dancing participated in by the children under the direction of Miss L. Blanche Perlin. The numbers were difficult of accomplishment but executed in a manner which reflected credit on the little ones as well as Miss Perlin. The dances were given in elegant form, depicting fairyland with its fairies, imps and other figures. There were also Japanese dances.

Yesterday afternoon a special entertainment was given for the children of the parish, the attendance being very large.

At the conclusion of the dancing feature in the evening general dancing was enjoyed.

The officers of the society are: President, Miss Mae Hogan; vice president, Miss Alice McCue; secretary, Miss Louise Noyes; treasurer, Rev. Joseph A. Curtin.

The officers of the evening were: General manager, John McDermott; assistant general manager, Mr. Pendergast; floor director, Thomas Delmore; assistant floor director, D. Molloy; chief aid,



JOHN T. McDERMOTT
General Manager

James B. Knowles; assistant chief aid, William Gallagher; aids, John J. Wholey, Charles Clancy, Thomas Hudson, Joseph Heslian, Frank Mousker, Peter Bagley, Robert Rutledge, Walter Mack, Robert Donahue, Thomas Hanahan, Michael Donohy, John Lawton, Clarence E. Noyes, Edward Hines, Joseph Lannan, Eugene Dean, Joseph Dinneen, James King, John Flannery, Edward Cotter, David Boyle and John Adams.

Entertainment committee: Mrs. Jas. Morris, chairman; Mrs. Mary Devine, Mrs. James Keefe, Mrs. Alice Parent, Mrs. Charles Erwin, Misses Josephine Murphy, Bridget Rourke and Mary Warren.

Decorating committee, hall, etc.: Miss Margaret McDonald, chairman; Mrs. Daniel Leary, Mrs. James Carmichael, Mrs. Patrick Lawton, Mrs. Daniel Sullivan, Misses Elizabeth Cerran, Celia Ryan and Nellie Fisher.

Program committee: Miss Catherine O'Brien, chairman; Mrs. Thomas J. McGowan, Misses Katherine McDonald, Esther McKee and Beatrice Shea.

Ticket committee: Miss Mae Hogan, chairman; Misses Mollie O'Sullivan and A. Leachman; Miss Florence Bolen, chairman; Misses Marion Quinn, Agnes Hennessy, Nora Dalton, Mary Harrington, Nora Manning, Mary Hastings, Madeline Handley, Anna Keefe, Gertrude Cronin and Adeline Mitchell.

Ice cream table: Miss D. J. Leary, chairman; Miss Mollie O'Sullivan, assistant; Miss Elizabeth Cerran, Mrs. B. King, Mrs. Ed. Perry, Mrs. P. Leary, Mrs. E. Lynch, Mrs. Mary O'Brien, Mrs. Charles Erwin, Misses Celia Dowd, Grace Lunn, Margaret McDonald and Katherine McDonald.

Lemonade table: Mrs. D. P. Sullivan, chairman; Mrs. Charles Rannan, Mrs. Brunette, Miss Mary E. Courtney, Mrs. L. Keefe, Mrs. Thomas Mahoney, Mrs. Mary Devine, Misses Louise Noyes,

MOTORCYCLE RIDING NOT INJURIOUS

"I have never been able to find any substantial basis for the accusation made by some people that the vibration of the motorcycle is injurious to the body," says Dr. Edwin H. Wiley, police surgeon of Los Angeles, who is official guardian of the physical condition of more than 40 motorcycle officers. "This charge may have been true to a certain extent against the machine made prior to 1915 but such a charge against the present day motorcycle is ridiculous."

"The motorcycle policemen under my charge have never been troubled in this way. Many of them have been on the force for years and they are riding constantly. In almost every case where motorcycle officers have come to me for treatment I have diagnosed their troubles as having originated from a disregard of some of the elementary laws of hygiene that would be sufficient to cause illness to anyone, regardless of their vocation."

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Fox trot—Thomas Delmore, Charles Clancy, Thomas Hudson, John J. Wholey, Mary O'Connor, Mr. Martin, Esther McKee and Mae Hogan.

Candy table—Miss Katherine Cummings, chairman; Misses Madeline O'Brien, Ethel Chalfonts, Helen Grimard, Ethel Knight, Katherine Holland, Anabelle Keyes, Beatrice Kelly, Katherine Kelly, Katherine Gallagher, Julia Morris, Molly Brophy, Ada Brophy, Margaret Brophy, Mary Flanagan, Gertrude Lannan, Mary Flanagan, Alice Flynn, Mary Leary, Rose Leary, Alice Dacey, Rose Condy, Marion Ryan, Natalie McQuade, Theresa Sullivan, Olive McQuillin, Anna Curran, Katherine Curran, Beatrice Shea, Irene Shea, Lettie McDougall, Margaret McDougall, Mary Wallace, Alice Dunne, Ruth Murphy, Beatrice Crowley, Catherine Beardon, Florence Shannon, Beatrice Erwin, Mary Erwin, Dorothy Miner, Madeline Miner, Mary Lang, Marguerite Lang, Agnes Hennessy, Ida Longman, Charlotte Green, Anastasia Murphy, Elizabeth Parent, Katherine Leannon, Lillian O'Brien, Nora Furey, Alice Sheehan, Margaret Sheehan, Frances O'Brien, Elizabeth O'Brien, Helen Brennan, Margaret Carmichael, Mary Morris, Margaret Enwright, Margaret Devine, Margaret O'Connor, E. Powers, Lillian Mullin, Mary Cashman, Alice Cashman, M. Cummings, K. Daley, M. Driscoll, Agnes Gill, Cora Davis, M. Flynn, E. Furgueson, M. Graves, Grace Murphy, Katherine Martin, Margaret McGuinness, Mary Meehan, Ella McCabe, Lillian Normandy, Agnes Stapleton, Helen Sullivan and Mary Shea.

Those who participated in the special dance numbers and novelties were: Snow Queen, Miss Mary Murphy, snow flurries, Gertrude Henderson, Mary Hassett, Helen Daley, Florence Carter, Mary Heslian, Anna Furey, Frances Gendron, Theresa Coreoran, Catherine Stevens and Alice Newton.

Pages—Master Wesley Saunders and Master Eugene Saunders, Attendants: Rosalind Whalen, Elizabeth Irwin, Margaret Regan and Helen Henderson.

In Japan Land—Miss Lynch, soloist.

Grisha Girls—Alice Judge, Margaret Coulter, Mary Keefe, Dorothy Sheehan, Catherine McCready, Alice Savaga, Irene Tialnor, Agnes Halloran, Mary Tuffie, Viola Flynn, Mary Muller, Alice McNerny, Alice Williamson, Lela Fawcett, Anabelle Perry, Esther Sullivan, Josephine Coyle, Anna Lake, Mary Doran, Theresa Powers, Helen Doran, Mabelle Gillon, Agnes Burns, Esther Brennan, Helen Burns, Esther Brennan, Helen Burns, Mary Sullivan, Mary Aheron, Gertrude Baxter, Alice Heslin and Gertrude Brown.

Parasol Girls—Margaret Mullen, Clara Porter, Elizabeth McCready, Anna Lyons, Margaret O'Loughlin, Ella Holland, Mattie Carroll, Gertrude Sanden, Elizabeth Train, Helen Mahoney, Catherine Lamb, Catherine Ashe, Rose Boyle, Charlotte Fawcett, Margaret Pymme and Elizabeth Gilver.

Black-Eyed Susans—Thomas Hanahan, Eugene Saunders, Arthur Parent, John Whalen and Wesley Saunders.

Poor butterfly, Ellen Lynch, Rickshaw boys, Masters, Charles Erwin and John Adams, Little Jap, Master John Erwin.

Japanese Girls—Gertrude Donahue, Lurida Holmes, Harriet Flannery, Catherine Sheridan, Mary Erwin, Marie Dunlavy, Helen Beardon, Helen Beardon, Mary Barrett, Agnes Baxter, Dorothy Ward, Hazel Connors.

Gertrude Spillane, Lena Heron, Grace Curtin and Mildred Brammotta.

Dance of the Hours—Morning, Anna Doran, Elmer Lonigan, Esther Lussier, Marcella Courtney and Mabel Foley.

Noon, Alice Penney and Catherine Harrigan; night, Grace Barrett, Blanche Burns, Nora Murphy and Josephine Meehan.

Exhibition box trot—Miss Mary O'Connor, Thomas Delmore, Miss Rose Martin, Charles Clancy, Miss Mae Hogan, John Wholey, Miss Esther McKee, Thomas Hodgson.

Snow flurries—Jeanie Graciosa, Estelle Berry, Margaret Ashe, Alice Murphy, Catherine Harrington, Ann McKell, Mary Whalen, Frances Whalen, Helen Shea, Mary Devine, Catherine Brophy and Theresa Coughlin.

Pierot dance—Harlequin, Helen Normandy, Pierrottes, Anna Cavanaugh, Louise Adams, Christina Longman, Louise Perry, Beatrice Devine, Edith

Donahue, Gladys Brophy and Alice Leannon.

Miss Ruby Emery was the accompanist of the afternoon.

Sharp entered during the afternoon and evening.

HOSPITAL AID ASSOCIATION

The regular meeting of the Lowell General hospital aid association was held yesterday afternoon in the reading room of the Middlesex Women's club. The attendance was large. During February and March 274 articles were sent to the association. During a social hour which followed the meeting Mrs. George E. Burns sang three songs, accompanied by Miss Ella Penn.

Dr. J. Arthur Gage read a paper on "How to Avoid a Cancer." The hostesses of the meeting were the women of the Grace Universalist church.

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The Kimballs have won the bowling championship of the city for 1917.

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Other games rolled last night found the Carrs taking three points from the Tri-Anguls, and Highland-Day light taking three from the White Ways. Steadman of the White Ways, with a three-string total of 344, topped the high individual honors last night, with McQuaid of the Kimballs close up with 343.

The scores:

WHITE WAYS				
Seaweney	87	102	79	268
Smith	93	88	57	238
Griffin	89	124	110	323
Stedman	110	136	98	344
Devlin	121	124	92	337
Totals	501	575	456	1532

HIGHLAND DAYLIGHT				
Morgan	93	112	100	310

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS OFFICIALLY TODAY

The 1917 baseball season makes its official entry today when the opening games in the American and National leagues will be played.

America's national game is ushered in for this year of a time when the country is engaged in thought over a much bigger and more serious question, and the natural thought is whether or not the same enthusiasm will attend the opening as in former years.

News of the teams in the southland

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Bellisle	118	96	315
Hall	90	97	305
Totals	503	525	1546

CARRS			
Kirane	97	115	304
McQuaid	117	87	258
Myrick	92	82	256
Leahy	85	86	260
O'Brien	120	105	313
Totals	501	455	1433

KIMBALLS			
Doolley	95	98	191
Dickey	112	102	213
Flanders	103	111	212
McQuaid	102	127	229
Jodoin	99	94	193
Totals	517	534	1558

TRI-ANGULARS			
Lyness	84	99	247
Maguire	112	91	281
McNeil	99	113	297
Panton	87	107	294
Burns	95	96	281
Totals	469	496	1443

CRESCENTS			
Jawett	101	99	213
Donohoe	73	105	285
Johnson	86	98	239
Lebrun	95	107	284
Kelley	106	88	294
Totals	467	497	1459

has been as eagerly sought for as usual it seems, but there is just a faint sign of uncertainty here and there, and although interest in the great sport will never disappear, the edge of expectancy has been a little dulled.

In the American league Chicago will open at St. Louis, Cleveland at Detroit, Boston at New York, and Washington at Philadelphia. The opening games in the National organization are: Philadelphia at Brooklyn; Pittsburgh at Chicago and St. Louis at Cincinnati. The Braves have postponed their opening on account of the cold weather.

It is believed that the strength of the American league is pretty well divided this year between the east and west. Boston and New York are again at White, Detroit, Chicago, Cleveland and St. Louis are entering good clubs. In the National league the odds are all with the east, where Boston, New York, Brooklyn and Philadelphia have the field to themselves.

Interest hereabouts is wrapped up in the Boston teams. Both clubs have had a fair training trip, although the Red Sox have not received any of the breaks from the weather man. Barry's pitchers seem to be in good shape and the club shows much of the same power which carried it along last year. Barry has stood pat on Carrigan's old lineup, and the Bostonians are expected to do the catching, although rumor has it that Frazee is on the lookout for a new receiver. The pitching staff will show Ruth, Foster, Leonard, Mays, Pennock, Wyckoff and possibly McCabe. Hoblitzell and Gainer will pitch for the first time, and second, Scott, shortstop, Gardner, third base, and Lewis, Hooper, Walker, Shorten and Hendricks in the outfield. The team also carries Jimmy Walsh, McNally and a couple of youngsters.

The Braves look about as strong as they did last year which means they will be up in the first division all the way. Stallings took a bunch of youngsters south with the club, but none of them has shown sufficient stuff to displace a regular. The team is well fortified with pitchers, including Rudolph, Hughes, Tyler, Ragan, Nehf and Barnes. Gowdy will be first string catcher. Evers and Marquette will be the same effective workers around the keystone sack and Red Smith has got the third base job nailed down. The outfield is a problem, although Chapelle has shown up well.

The past two or three days have been sufficient argument for a later opening of the season in the majors. Many eminent sport writers have advocated a later opening for some time, but the heads of the leagues have not seen fit to change. Braves field in Boston is in poor condition, snow covering the playing surface Monday and Tuesday. The cold weather of New England and in the north generally raises havoc with the players who have become accustomed to the warm climes south of the Mason and Dixon line and it usually takes a month for the older players to get going properly.

The public in no mood to watch ball games with the mercury around the freezing point, but the salaries of the players must be paid just the same, whether or not the turnstiles click.

LOWELL GUN CLUB

The April meeting of the Lowell Gun club will be held in Odd Fellows Temple, Middlesex street, tomorrow, Thursday evening, L. W. Morrison of Chelmsford is secretary of the Lowell Gun club and he has already received about 50 applications for membership. By-laws will be acted upon at the meeting tomorrow evening and other business will include matters pertaining to trap shooting. On April 19 an all day shoot will take place and good prizes are being offered.

BREEN STANDS GOOD CHANCE

Steve Breen of this city, formerly captain of the high school baseball team, and a player of note in local semi-pro circles, stands a good chance of landing a regular berth with the Holy Cross varsity line this year. Breen is south with the team and is fighting with several other youngsters for a place in the infield. The Lowell team is a smooth fielder and a fairly good stick.

Gardner club dance, Lincoln hall, tonight.

TEXTILE SCHOOL EVENING CLASS GRADUATION

The 1917 evening class of the Lowell Textile school will be graduated this evening about 120 young men receiving diplomas. This is the largest class ever to be graduated from the school.

The general public is invited to the exercises, and the buildings will be opened for inspection at 7 o'clock. Thomas G. Martin, secretary of the Home Market club of Boston will be the principal speaker and Mayor James E. O'Donnell will present the diplomas. A. G. Cunnock, president of the board of trustees will give the address of welcome.

FIRST AID LECTURE

The first lecture in a series of 10 to provide instruction for men as to the best thing to do in case of accident or sudden illness will be given at the Y.M.C.A. hall Wednesday evening, April 11, at 7:30 o'clock by Dr. Charles E. Stinson. This opening lecture will be free and will be illustrated with charts and models and specimens. The subject will be "The Human Body."

The course has the approval of the Red Cross society and at the close of the 10 lectures diplomas will be awarded to those who successfully pass the examinations. The course is designed for adults and especially for employers and overseers in industries where accidents may occur and treatment is needed before the doctor can be secured.

STORY OF THE GROWTH OF THE TELEPHONE

Dr. Moses Greeley Parker, past president general of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution and one of the pioneers of the telephone industry in this country, told the story of the growth of the telephone before the Molly Varnum Chapter, D.A.R., at the Spaulding house yesterday afternoon.

In part, Dr. Parker said: "Today the sound of the human voice is transmitted from New York to San Francisco, 3000 miles, in 16-10,000 part of a second."

In early days wooden telephones were used; the switchboards were like blackboards, and boys were employed to stand before them and subscribers were called by using their names. Letter smaller switchboards came into use and girls were employed to sit before them and this practice has continued to this day. The public was slow to realize that in the telephone it had a servant ready at all times for varied services.

Alexander Bell is the one man who conceived the idea of transmitting speech and produced it over a single wire, and his idea has been in use 40 years practically without change. The first words actually transmitted electrically and understood were spoken on March 10, 1876, when Dr. Bell said to Mr. Watson, "Come here, I want you." In April, 1876, 10 years later, the same men talked, one in New York and the other in San Francisco, and they took the original instruments and could hear each other.

Dr. Parker showed a copy of a diminutive telephone less than three inches high, the original of which could actually be used. The number of patents issued for telephone and telegraph apparatus is 12,127, in the United States alone. Sixty-five per cent. of the telephones in use are in the United States. Sixty per cent. of all wire used is in the United States. Fifty-seven per cent. of all money invested is in the United States. It has been proved that the more intelligent a state is the more telephones are found there.

New Haven had the first telephone exchange. Lowell had the first exchange in Massachusetts. In operating the Bell system, 10,000,000 telephone stations (consisting of telephone receiver and bell) send 10,000,000 messages a year. In the multiple service established in 1879 it has been estimated that for the people of the United States 3000 years of time is saved in one year. A wireless message was sent from Arlington, Va., to Paris, France, and was heard in Honolulu, 5000 miles from Paris.

MAY CANCEL MARATHON RACE

BOSTON, April 11.—A special meeting of the athletic committee of the Boston Athletic association was called for today to consider the advisability of cancelling the annual marathon road race held on April 19 for the last twenty years over the roads from Ashland to this city. Many prominent runners have entered for this year's race.

HARVARD CREWS ON YACHTS

BOSTON, April 11.—Harvard university students will man two yachts which have been placed at the disposal of the government for coast patrol service. In addition to the 210-foot yacht given by George P. Baker of New York which has been renamed the Harvard they will provide a crew for a yacht of 100 feet in length furnished by E. H. Ellison of this city.



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WAR BULLETINS AT THE BASEBALL PARKS

NEW YORK, April 11.—Baseball, the national safety valve for pent-up enthusiasm and tense nerves, took the field today before the nation at war. The approval of the military authorities is evidenced by the fact that Major General Leonard Wood will open the American league season here by tossing out the new ball at the Polo grounds.

National league games are scheduled at Chicago, Cincinnati and Brooklyn. The opening game at Boston with New York in this league was declared off because the grounds are covered with snow. The season in the American league will start with games at St. Louis, Detroit, Philadelphia and New York.

The weather promises to be generally fair, but temperatures remain low. Club owners expect a fairly prosperous season but admit that receipts and attendance probably will be cut by the war. They are encouraged, however, by the fact that the international league games in Canada last summer were well attended.

Friends of the game declare that baseball this year will perform a national service by affording distraction from the grim tension of war. It is expected that bulletins of big events at the front will be displayed at the parks.

Before the game at the Polo grounds this afternoon the players of the New York American league club will perform military evolutions, in which they have been drilled for the past six weeks.

SACRED HEARTS BEAT OXFORDS

The Sacred Heart school team defeated the Oxford boys by the score of 50 to 20 in the Sacred Heart school hall in Moore street last night.

The Sacred Heart team played rings around the Oxford boys at every stage of the game as the score plainly indicates. The features of the game were J. Keenan's and Kennedy's shooting for the Sacred Hearts. They shot 20 and 11 baskets respectively. Mulvey's playing featured for the Oxford. Jennings scored and a crowd of 200 attended.

The Sacred Hearts would now like a return game with the Bellevues.

JOE FAGAN DEFEATS KID GRAVES

BOSTON, April 11.—Referee Larry Conly did a humane act last night at the Armory A. A. when he stopped the bout between Joe Fagan and Kid Graves of Milwaukee after the former the award in the 10th round.

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GROCERS DISCUSS THE CHAIN STORE PROBLEM

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HOME GARDENING WILL BE VERY POPULAR

The chain store and its relation to the retail grocery trade. John J. Horan, general manager of the society, was the principal speaker of the evening. He explained that the American Grocers' society had been organized and was conducted on lines similar to those that governed the American Druggists' society. He said the society was purely a grocers' organization and all its officers are men who are actively engaged in the retail grocery business.

The speaker advocated co-operative buying on the part of the grocers as the only remedy to combat chain stores for this will enable the ordinary retailer to get his staple goods at the same price at which the chain stores get theirs.

"The retail business is buying and selling," said Mr. Horan, "and the trouble with the ordinary retailer is that he lays too much stress on making sales and not enough stress on purchasing the things he is going to sell. You can't possibly compete with the chain store if the chain store sells goods at prices lower than yours, and the chain store will sell goods at lower prices than yours as long as you buy the way you are buying now."

"Every retailer knows that his customer-in-law, his cousin, all his relatives, will go to a block past his store to a chain store to buy an article when the price at the chain store for that article is 1, 2, 3 or 4 cents less than he can sell it at. That is the competition that the ordinary retailer is up against, and the sooner he realizes it the more assured of success he will be."

Every second month the society sends its members a price list. From this list the retailer makes his purchases, as the society has no salesmen. The society has a large warehouse at New York and is planning the erection of a still larger place in which to store its goods.

Mr. A. F. Simpson, field manager, also gave a brief talk on chain stores and how to combat them. At the close of the speaking several local grocers became affiliated with the society.

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OUR INFLUENCE FOR WORLD PEACE

While the submarine warfare drove the United States into the European war, our being in it may, and undoubtedly will, serve a very useful purpose in reference to our future safety and world peace.

Until the United States declared war on Germany on April 6, there was no telling on which side victory would finally rest. But if it ultimately came to Germany, or if she even forced a compromise peace, the result would be greater armaments than ever, world wide preparation for a war greater, if possible, than the present, and one in which the scene of operations might be shifted to the western hemisphere. In fine, if we did not enter the war now on the side of the Allies, the probability is, that we should have to fight Germany alone in the not distant future.

If we stood aloof while the Allies were fighting for their very existence, we could not expect them to aid us if we were attacked by Germany on the Atlantic and by Japan on the Pacific. It is all very well to talk of keeping out of the war; but while German militarism survives, no nation is safe. By entering this war we are likely to hasten the end of the conflict and clinch the victory for the Allies.

In doing that we shall, in all probability, help to rid the earth of the twin curse of Prussian militarism and Hohenzollern plotting for pan-Germanism.

Should these results be attained they will probably bring a long era of world peace through a concert of the powers; and unless some scheme of world federation be adopted, we should have to prepare to meet two very formidable dangers.

The first would be an attack upon the Monroe Doctrine from Europe because of the fact that in this war we have cast aside our isolation and become a world power in the widest sense.

The second danger would be the yellow peril. California, Idaho and other states have repeatedly attempted to enact laws discriminating especially against the Japanese owning land and enjoying the privileges of citizenship.

Repeatedly have the federal authorities found it necessary to plead with these states not to enact legislation that would cause trouble between Japan and the United States. Japan has often protested quite bitterly against this action; and but for the friendly assurances and disavowal of the federal government she would undoubtedly have lined up with Mexico and other powers against us.

Japan is likely to train the Chinese in the arts of war, and if so, with their vast population, the yellow peril would then become a real menace to the United States. That is one of the possibilities against which the United States must provide as a world power. Hence a league or concert of the nations, including Japan, for world peace would be the best and most desirable method of overcoming this danger; but otherwise we shall have to depend upon alliances, Entente or otherwise, which generally result in counter combinations against the possibilities of war. Moreover when the United States representatives sit down at the peace table at the close of this war it is safe to say that they will have great influence in providing a settlement that will not mercilessly crush the vanquished and that will so far as possible provide for a federation of all the powers of the world for universal peace. Perhaps with the United States the strongest motive for joining such a world combination would be to overcome the two dangers mentioned.

THE KAISER MUST GO

Let the Kaiser abdicate and the war will be settled in short order. The leaders of the Russian Duma have made this proposition to the people of Germany. The trouble is that the German press is under such strict censorship that it cannot publish any criticism of the government. To say a word against the Kaiser would be flat treason for which the penalty of death would be immediately inflicted. Thus the people who have to do the fighting are kept in the dark as to world events. They are ordered to the various battle fronts to face superior numbers and they are forbidden to waver in the face of certain death. They must lay down their lives for the "Fatherland" which translated to its true meaning in this war, means the Kaiser. He has boasted of coming victory and misled by the apparent invincibility of German arms, the people fought on and on in hopes that the final triumph would recompense them for all their sacrifices. Never in history did any people make such terrible sacrifices. Millions of brave men have been killed and now when there is ample evidence that at least a large proportion of the war are not in a condition to fight, they are obliged to keep up the struggle against ever increasing odds.

The Kaiser set out to vanquish certain powers and to secure domination over the entire world; but having failed he is willing to sacrifice the entire nation before yielding to the foe. It is hoped, however, that the light of truth will penetrate the darkness in which the German people are held as to the actual conditions and that they will ere long be delivered from the curse of Kaiserism in all its hideous forms such as bombing, liquid fire-throwing, submarine slaughter, the scientific incineration with the germs of disease and the deportation and enslavement of men and women from the conquered territory.

With the Kaiser eliminated, the Entente Allies would make a generous peace with the German people; but with the Hohenzollerns never, the Kaiser must go.

EVERY CITIZEN A WATCHMAN

In this crisis in our national life every true American citizen should constitute himself a watchman without pay to guard the interests of the country and particularly the community in which he lives, against every form of treachery or intrigue against the government. The wrongdoers usually endeavor to keep out

of the way of the officers of the law but if every citizen is vigilant, they cannot long escape. But be careful not to do an injustice to any man through groundless suspicions or rash judgments.

OUR PART IN THE WAR

Whether the war lasts six months, twelve months or two years, it behooves the people of this nation to conserve the food supply and to produce all they can from the soil. The food supply will be largely depleted by exports to Europe and as a result the prices will go still higher. There is little probability of any fighting on American soil, yet the effects of the war will be felt not only in the matter of food but in the varied activities in all lines of military training and preparedness.

The United States navy will play an important part in meeting the submarine menace, and in addition, the government will furnish the Allies with military supplies of all kinds such as food, horses, mules, guns, shells and other lines of ammunition. The principal item that will count against the submarines, however, is the making of light freight vessels of high speed at the rate of 200,000 tons a month to be put in commission to overcome the loss of tonnage due to the submarine warfare. That alone would defeat the aims of the submarines; but there will be many other agencies that are expected to dispose of them permanently in a few months.

But perhaps the most important aid rendered to the Allies by the United States will be the financial assistance in the form of loans on favorable terms. As the war progresses, the time will come when the powers in-

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volved will have to stop from financial exhaustion. It takes money in vast amounts to maintain a war and already some of the nations have almost reached the limit of their financial resources. With the aid provided by the United States the Allies can make a new start that should soon result in complete victory.

Unless the war lasts over six months more it is not likely that any men will be sent to fight in the trenches. Nevertheless, an army of at least 500,000 will be trained as soon as possible for that purpose in case it should be necessary.

Seen and Heard

It's a wise crowder that knows its clam.

It is better to marry a woman who talks too much than one who does not talk at all.

As the moon rose out of a cloud bank in the eastern sky Sunday night a perfect cross radiated from it. Whether it is peculiar to Easter I do not know. Folks I have mentioned it to have told me they have seen it before, and others who saw it Sunday night also say they have seen it on previous occasions, but never so brilliant. I could not take my eyes from it. It seemed so in keeping with the

day and the significance of the glorious resurrection of Christ was brought home in startling reality. It seemed to stand out as the emblem of perfect peace for a world torn by strife.

Was a Good Guesser

Making a stop at the home of a family named Adams in a country place hereabouts a traveler who was inquiring his way had a pleasant little visit. As he departed he remarked that as there was a glass at the well he "guessed he would take a drink of Adam's ale."

When he was out of earshot the little girl of the house asked her mother: "How did he know our name is Adams?"

Maybe He Thought So

Little Robert, when school was in afternoon session, was playing about the neighborhood, being one of the children under the half-time plan. Children are not old enough to be interested in a conversation about the weather and so the usual question is why they are not at school or do they like school. So when one of the women in the neighborhood saw him at play she asked, "Why aren't you at school, Robert?"

"I learn too much in the morning," was the reply.

High Cost of Sickness

There's been a great deal said about the high cost of living, but here's a yarn about the high cost of being sick as told by an autoist who has been nursing cuts and bruises. There were some sore places on his body that didn't heal the way they should. Hearing of an effective remedy that had been brought over from France it had been most successful in war hospitals—his physician got about to get some. His favorite druggist had the formula and made up a couple of quarts.

"Practically stiff price, isn't it?" asked the doctor when he was told it would cost 85 cents a quart, but the autoist said, "The high cost of drugs, you know." The physician made inquiry from his brother practitioner who had given him permission to use the formula and

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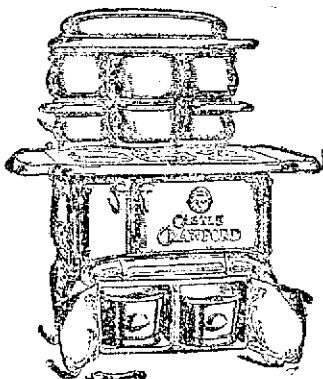
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Do not take mineral oils or so-called "Russian Oil," for the experiments by R. F. McDonald have shown as lately reported in a government publication of the U. S. Public Health Service, that mineral oil may act as an irritant that produces gastro-intestinal disturbances and that it may cause tissue proliferation, stimulating cancer.

The next important organ to be reckoned with is the kidneys. Kidney disease carries away a large percentage of our people. Why? Because an ordinary person does not properly balance bodily health? The answer is not easy, but I advise everybody to eat less meat, eat coarse, plain food, with plenty of vegetables, drink plenty of water between meals, and take an uric acid solvent, such as Anuric (double strength), before meals for awhile. Anuric can be obtained at almost any drug store.

got this answer: "Tell him to charge for the bottle and label (that's the most expensive part. The rest costs nine cents a gallon to make)."

Sweetest Words

"Included find check." The sweetest words that ever outlasted the song of birds! How they allay the widow's fears, and dry the orphan's briny tears! When sad and tired and short of kale, a letter comes by morning mail; the other letters it appears, with postage stamps and inkly smears. "No doubt," we sigh, "it is a dunder frantically sent after noon. These beastly bills we cannot pay take all the sunshine from the day, and make us wish that we were dead, with stacks of granite overhead." And then, with languid hands we tear the envelope to see what's there, and out there comes a note, by which we learn that our "included" is "included and check." Ah, then we bid farewell to woe, and like nine Brahmas roosters, crow, and to the soft drinks joint repair, and buy a quart of soap-suds there. The sun once more is shining, the gloomy clouds are blown away, the world is glad that was a wreck, changed by the words, "Included find check."

Her Little Boy

Always a "little boy" to her. No matter how old he's grown. Her eyes are blind to the strands of gray. She's deaf to his manly tone. His voice is the same as the day he asked: "What makes the old cat purr?" Ever and ever he's just the same—A little boy to her.

Always a "little boy" to her. She heeds not the lines of care That furrow his face—no, her it is still. As it was in his boyhood, fair. His hopes and his joys are as dear to her. As they were in his small-boy days. He never changes, in her he's still. My little boy, she says.

Always a "little boy" to her. And to him she's the mother fair. With the laughing eyes and the cheering smile. Of the boyhood days back there. Back there, somewhere in the midst of years. Back there, with the childish joy, and to her he is never the man we see. But always "her little boy."

Always a "little boy" to her. The ceaseless march of the years. Goes rapidly by, but its drumbeat dies. Ere they reach her ears. The smile that she sees is the smile of youth. The wrinkles are dimples of joy. His hair, with the gray is as sunny as May. He is always "her little boy."

They Do Say

That Duddy made a very cute little heart man.

That the Mathews seem to know how to do things.

That the jockey girl looked just too cute for anything.

That the formation of the new battery got a fine start.

That the funny owner will hold up their hands in horror.

That a man never does anything, desperate if fed regularly.

That just as a matter of diversion, try kissing your own wife.

That we are enjoying a little winter weather at the present time.

That ignorance is more apt to stimulate argument than wisdom.

That there are people who still fall for the latest Navy Yard joke.

That many a man had to chase his hat down the street yesterday.

That sorrow is a bitter pill we all must swallow sooner or later.

That it is hard to state the exact length of a New England winter.

That in the case of great men genius and common sense go hand in hand.

That the cantankerous maker has a good deal to do with numbering our days.

That the government did quick work with the amateur radio stations.

That Henry Street did not enjoy his trip to Boston in the automobile truck.

That the aldermanic chamber was over-run with former abolitionists yesterday.

That long periods of watchful waiting do not appeal to the men at the armory.

That the ball players had better stay in the southland for another month.

That "physical examination" seemed to be the watchword at the armory these days.

That it is quite interesting to see a man wearing a straw hat while shoveling snow.

That the man who doesn't know



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DANIELS ASKS PAPERS NOT TO PRINT SHIP NEWS

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Efforts of the administration to limit the publication of facts concerning ship movements were discussed at yesterday's cabinet meeting, and afterward Sec. Daniels transmitted a request to all newspapers not to print the arrival or departure of any ship in the coastwise or international trade, or of any naval vessel. Previously Mr. Daniels had informed the newspapers that publication of the arrivals of merchant ships was not objectionable, but it was agreed yesterday that even this was dangerous. Sec. Daniels said last night he would undertake to see that no departures giving the dates of departures or arrival of vessels be circulated. He will take up with the postoffice department the question of stopping the publication of the dates of the departures or arrivals by boat.

Walnut Club—Tonight.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

The following notices are from the press agents of the theatres mentioned.

B. F. KEITH THEATRE

Minstrelsy at its very best is purveyed at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, by Emmet Welch and his exceptionally competent company. There is nothing missing, and the splendid quartet work by four of the singers will catch the fancy of every person who attends. A contra tenor who is bound to win distinction is with this organization. But the whole thing is in good taste, and Mr. Welch makes sure an interlude as has been the case in a long time. "Gimme Back That Ring" is the skit which Max "Popper" and the quartet offer with it as full of fun as a nut is of meat. Miss Ricardo is uncommonly funny, as good as any one we have seen this season. Her husband, who is in a class by itself, Jack Kennedy, is in a farce called "Don't Do It," creates laughter right from the start and keeps up interest all the way through. He is capably supported by Helen Waide. The musical numbers are the xylophonists of real musical ability, and their program is one of the best put forward for this instrument. Arnold's dogs and monkeys—walking erect—complete an entire comedy skit without any sign of a human being on the stage. Other good points in the show are: "Mung," a cowboy, athlete; Mario Fonoghine, the Irish thrush, and the Pathe News pictures which are most engrossing.

OPERA HOUSE

The most spectacular and dramatic success of the season is the variety of those fortunate enough to have witnessed "Under Fire" as given by the Emerson Players at the Opera House this week. From start to finish there is never a dull moment, and as the story unfolds the audience is carried along with increasing interest until the great climax.

It is doubly interesting at the present time, owing to the national crisis, and furnishes an illuminating glimpse into what is going on in Europe at the present moment. The scenes are carried out with great cleverness and all the while the characters are true to life and not stagey in the least.

Especially it is one of the biggest things ever attempted on any stage and to Director Frank Wright and his able assistants much credit is due. The house in London and the village inn in Belgium are artistic in the extreme and the trench on the English front, the vivid portrayal of trench life and the subsequent blowing up of the entire work are masterpieces of staging. And then there is the little church "somewhere in France" with its wounded and suffering. Taken all in all, it is one of the most ambitious efforts any stage company has ever undertaken and due credit must be given.

Clay Clement is romantic and yet convincing as Capt. Redmond, the hero, and Ann O'Day is charming in the role of the girl. Mildred Vincent gives another of his splendid impersonations as Streetman, the German spy. The other members of the troupe are: John Turner, Fred. Sims, William Huff, Walter Fredrick, George Cairns, Jessie Brink, Gertrude Shirley and Gladys McLeod are excellent.

Order your seats now as there is sure to be a sell-out for the latter part of the week. Call 261 on the phone and avoid disappointment for "Under Fire" is the play you have been waiting to see.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Tonight will be the last opportunity to witness the production of "The Millionaire" by the Miller Musical Comedy Co. at the Academy of Music. For tomorrow there will be a change of show. Those who witnessed the performance yesterday and the day before are satisfied that the management is showing its appreciation of the large patronage by putting on high class musical comedy.

"The Millionaire" has been done in several numbers which are greatly appreciated by the audience if the applause given her can be taken as a criterion, while the young man, who is seen during the performance, is a witness to her clever manipulation of the violin and bow. Her dancing and singing, together with the brilliant work being well worthy of the applause she receives. Ollie Perkins, that cute little girl, who sings and dances herself into favor, makes a decided hit with her rendition of "Make Hay While the Sun Shines."

The McLean sisters, Chris and Marie, attempt to please the audience and that they are general favorites in this city is well known to all theatre-goers. Chris has a splendid opportunity to display her ability as a singer and dancer and last night she responded to many encores.

Hughie Platters, the mirth provoker, keeps the house in an uproar and his dancing beggars' devotion. He is very active with his feet and introduces many original steps. Joe Taylor is there with plenty of good material in "The Millionaire" and his ability being second to none among Dutch comedians. Joseph B. Cunningham, is possessed of an excellent voice and his solo work is well received by the audience. His duet, with Grace Lewis, "Turn Back the Universe," gives him ample opportunity to display the power and range of his voice.

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The chorus is made up of pretty girls, who can sing and dance and the beautiful costumes in which they appear all go to make the show one of the best that has been seen in this city this season.

Tomorrow afternoon there will be a change of show, the Miller Musical Comedy Co. presenting "Dinkie and O'Brien in Paris" and "Dinkie and O'Brien in the Harem." The latter is an oriental piece and the costumes for this part of the show, together with special scenery, will make it a very attractive production.

THE PLAYHOUSE

The C. S. Primrose road company, which has been entertaining the Lowell public at the Playhouse for the past two days, will close their successful engagement with a closing performance this evening. This will be the last chance offered to see this beautiful play, well acted by a strong cast with Miss Agnes Laidlaw in the principal role. The theme of this four-act drama is appealing and touching.



ELSIE BEECH
With "The War Baby" Company at the Playhouse on the Next Three Days

universally. The scenic efforts are artistic. It shows the dangers girls have to encounter in going out into the world to earn their own living. The prices at this evening's performance are 25, 35, 50 and 75c. This play is not a motion picture, and the management requests that no children apply for admission.

The second of the leading road companies scheduled to play at the Playhouse will be seen here on the last three days of this week, starting with the afternoon performance with matinee daily. This too, is a touching drama. It is entitled "The War Baby." This play was written to help to solve the problem of the unmarried mother, a question and who should provide for the child who was left behind through the death of its father in the defense of his country. It shows in a vivid manner how a girl to give her unborn

a name, marries a rich financier, though she still loves the memory of the father of her child who had supposedly died for his country's good.

Eventually it transpires the report of his death was false and he returns to find that the mother of his child is married to a man who ill-treats her and takes her with the child. The sequel leads to court proceedings in which there is a climax. This play, written by B. M. Fox, was produced by him at the Imperial Palace, London, and has been running successfully to his business ever since, both in Europe and America. Special scenery and an excellent company of players enhance the attraction.

The same popular prices will prevail at the showing of this play. Matinees, 25 and 35 cents. Evenings, 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents. To reserve seats phone 1110.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

The closing performance of the first half of the week bill at the Merrimack Square theatre will be given this afternoon and evening. This will be the final opportunity given to the Lowell public of witnessing the splendid six-act adaptation of "The Witching Hour," which is the opinion of the many who have seen the stage production, far surpasses it. This is in part due to the leading star, C. Aubrey Smith, who is seen in the principal role of this thrilling play which made a phenomenal run. Also on this exceptionally fine program for today only is the five act play of French life, "The Bond Between," which is a splendid vehicle for the celebrated George Roban, who registers effectively in his role of a typical Frenchman. The remainder of the program for today of the first half of the week includes a comedy and other plays. It is a big performance worth well seeing.

The new bill of pictures which will be presented at the Merrimack Square theatre during the next three days of this week will arrest the attention of every pleasure seeker in Lowell, for it is made up of some of the features of the first week. In the five-act picture, "The Family Honor," Robert Warwick and June Elvidge appear in the stellar roles. Miss Elvidge is seen as a woman of the world who sells herself into the life of a young man who encounters her charms and forces him to steal in order that he may get money to shower upon her. Robert Warwick is seen as the older brother of the young man and he takes desperate steps to save him. The play is thrilling and full of action.

The program for the next three days at the Merrimack Square theatre is well balanced by the other five-act picture, "The School for Husbands," in which an old favorite, Miss Fannie Ward, appears. In this play Miss Ward co-stars with her famous partner, the comedian Jack Dean. One of the scenes shown in this interesting drama of heart intrigues is that of the hula-hula dancers, who appear in their native costumes and present a very delightful picture.

Also on this splendid latter half of the week program at this popular theatre are the latest travel pictures of foreign lands, the famous travelogue "The World of Tomorrow," a funny comedy and other plays.

OWL THEATRE

In the chilly regions of Siberia where the coldest winters reign, a man, through a tortured existence, love comes to the heroine of "Hearts Above" in the strangest possible fashion. This newest release by Clara Kimball Young, Service-World Pictures, and which will head the Owl theatre bill for today and tomorrow, is throughout the entire length of its five reels, a picture play of true absorbing interest. The manner in which fate plays with the three principal characters in this production is startling and thrilling. Altogether the production is on a particularly high plane. The scenes are exceptional, the cast is notable and the illustrated titles, which are a feature of all the releases in this service, make "Hearts Above" a film play of extraordinary merit. Clara Kimball Young, the star of the production and the Owl theatre is delighted to be able to present this offering to its patrons.

Also showing on the same program at the Owl is the latest new picture, "Powder," featuring the celebrated screen star, Arthur Maude, and a new part drama on the war program. This film, which is a timely play and is full of action from start to finish. Other excellent attractions will also be shown.

JEWEL THEATRE

For several years Al Jennings headed one of the most desperate gangs of train robbers that ever infested the southwest. "Beating Back" tells the life story of Al Jennings and his infamous operations, during those stirring old days. It was produced by Thanhouser, and is shown today and tomorrow at the Jewel theatre, in six reels of motion pictures. After many exciting adventures, which he describes in thrilling fashion, he was finally captured and sentenced to life imprisonment. His picture of prison life is a revelation. After five years, Jennings was pardoned by President McKinley. He went back to his native state—once the Indian territory, now Oklahoma—and began his long struggle to live down the past. How well he has succeeded may be judged from the fact that he was nearly elected governor. He lost by a very small vote—so small that most Oklahomans believe he was really elected. A picturesque character was Al Jennings and one great picture, "Hank Mann" will be seen in the latest Fox film comedy "Chased Into Love," a roaring, senseless plot of bumps and thumps, with Hank Mann at the center of the vortex. The third picture of the series of "Uncle Sams Defenders" and other unusually

good pictures will complete this fine mid-week performance.

ROYAL THEATRE

Jimmie Morrison, one of the stand-bys of the Vitaphone company for years, and considered one of the very best actors on the screen will be seen today and tomorrow at the Royal theatre in the five-reel film production, "Two Men and a Woman," a problem play of unusual situations and clever climaxes. The program which surrounds this picture is easily one of the best ever shown in Lowell with "Patria," the 13th episode leading.

Mrs. Vernon Castle's ability as a swimmer was severely tested in several of the episodes of "Patria." As the heroine, resolutely bent on teaching America the necessity of "preparedness," she falls into the hands of unscrupulous enemies, who cast her overboard from the upper deck of a Sound steamer.

Mrs. Vernon Castle, the best known woman in America, has many adventures in "Patria." In one scene she is shown on the screen coming to the surface of the water, freeing herself from her bonds and tearing away the gag with which her screams were prevented. The camera then dramatically records her getting out of her shoes and stockings and heavier garments and swimming out of the picture triumphant.

In the fifth chapter she escapes again from her foes by diving boldly into the sound, and swimming under water a distance of a mile to reach her. She is finally rescued far from shore by a hydroplane. It is the first time a hydroplane has been used in a regular work. The camera shows her climbing aboard the hydroplane very wet, but very glad to find that her sweetheart is not lost. A little later she is seen under way in the hydroplane skilfully manipulating a gun at a flying machine sent after her by her relentless enemies.

With two such attractions, the Royal can lay claim to a fine show for the middle of the week at the prices charged for admission. The other pictures are the regular single and multiple reel releases—comedies and dramas that will please the most critical.

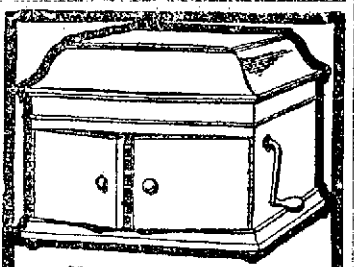
COLONIAL THEATRE

Today and tomorrow present a fine program at the head of which the clever actor, Robert Henley appears in the leading part of "A Child of Mystery," a gripping picture in 5 parts. It is full of exciting interest for all. Western pictures, drama, comedy and others surround this photoplay making a fine entertainment to be shown for those two days only.

CROWN THEATRE

The consequences of a trust falsely placed, the trust of an innocent girl in the nobility of a gambler and a man of the world, make the background of the story of the east and west which forms Gladys Brockwell's latest starring vehicle for William Fox. The picture is "One Touch of Sin," a vigorous story of a woman who pays the price, in shame and sorrow, and the play which will head the big mid-week program which will be presented at the Crown theatre today and tomorrow. Other excellent attractions will also be presented at the Crown theatre today and tomorrow in conjunction with the feature film.

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BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 11.—The authorities are today looking for a man, who, it is alleged, eluded the guard about the plant of the American Tube & Stamping Co. here late last night, placed an inflammable bomb in a storehouse. When the bomb exploded it set fire to the building which was destroyed. The contents it was stated, were chiefly bricks and cement and the loss was not heavy.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BURNS—The funeral of the late James P. Burns will take place Friday morning from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church, the hour to be announced later. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James O'Donnell & Sons.

CHASE—Died April 11th, in this city, Helen Parker Chase, aged 1 year, 2 mos. and 11 days, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter I. Chase, 284 Gibson street. Private funeral services will be held at 284 Gibson street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

COOK—The funeral of the late Joseph E. Cook will take place Wednesday afternoon from his home, Princeton street, North Chelmsford. Service at the house at 2:30 o'clock. Burial in Riverside cemetery, North Chelmsford, in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

GRAY—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Gray will take place Friday morning from the home of her son, Peter B. Gray, 71 Walpole street, at 8 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church, a funeral mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Mack.

HAYES—The funeral of Mrs. Nellie Moriarty Hayes will take place Friday morning from her late home, 27 Lagrange street, at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker George H. Savage.

HURLEY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hurley will take place Friday morning from her late home, 22 Slack pole street, at 8 o'clock. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons.

WHITESIDE—The funeral of the late John Whiteside will take place on Friday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 18 Seventh street. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Time will be announced later. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

WINN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary F. Winn will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 19 Powell street. Solemn high mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

DEATHS

HAYES—Mrs. Ellen Hayes, an old and respected resident of St. Patrick's parish, died yesterday at her home, 27 Lagrange street, at the age of 49 years.

She leaves her husband, James Hayes.

BILLINGS—Dexter Billings, a former resident of this city, died Monday at Woonsocket, R. I., after a long illness, at the age of 32 years, 8 months and 19 days. He leaves, besides his wife, Estelle A. Billings, one sister, Mrs. Harry G. Jones of this city. The body will be moved to the home of Mrs. Jones, 28 West Bowers street.

COOK—Joseph E. Cook, a well known resident of North Chelmsford, died on Monday at his home, Princeton street, North Chelmsford. He leaves besides his wife, two sons, Joseph E. and James Cook.

DOZOIS—Mrs. Marie Eugenie (Chenail) Dozois, wife of Alexandre L. Dozois, aged 58 years, 10 months, died last evening at her home, 19 Lombard street, her husband, she leaves two sons, Henry and Louis. Dozois, one daughter, Miss Alice, her mother, Mrs. Philomena Chenail; three brothers, Joseph in Canada, John of Woonsocket, and Fred of Lowell; five sisters, Miss Evilda Chenail, Mrs. Angeline Sereault, Mrs. Elodie Fortier, Mrs. Elodie Billings of Connecticut and Mrs. Eugene Lussier of Central Falls, R. I.

GRAY—Mrs. Bridget Gray, for many years a well known and highly respected resident of the Sacred Heart parish, died last evening at the home of her son, Peter B. Gray, 71 Walpole street, after a long illness, at the age of 79 years. She leaves, besides three sons, John J., Michael J. and Peter B. Gray, one daughter, Mrs. Peter H. Donahue, and 16 grandchildren.

HAYES—Mrs. Nellie Moriarty Hayes, well known resident of St. Patrick's parish, died last night at her home, 27 Lagrange street. She is survived by her husband, James, and a niece, Mrs. Clarence B. LeGacy, of Haverhill, Mass.

FUNERALS

WHITESIDE—John Whiteside, an old resident, died this morning at his late home, 18 Seventh street. Mr. Whiteside was an attendant of St. Michael's church for more than 25 years and was employed in the Merrimack and Boot mills for 24 years. He leaves a wife, Della Quinlan Whiteside.

BURNS—James P. Burns, an esteemed resident of St. Peter's parish, died this morning at St. John's hospital, aged 57 years. He leaves two sons, Frederick M. and Raymond W., both of Lowell; four brothers, Joseph of Lowell, John of Utica, N. Y., William of Lawrence, and Thomas of Canada; two sisters, Mrs. Charles Willey of Canada, P. Q., and Mrs. George Shearer of Lyndville, N. D. Deceased was a member of the local union of Barbers and local No. 19, Carpenters union. The body was taken to the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BROWN—The funeral services of Miss Charlotte E. Brown were held at her home, 126 Fletcher street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Francis W. Brett, pastor of Worthen Street M.E. church. The bearers were: Hon. John J. Fleckman, John W. Fraser, Charles H. Clogston and Edwin L. Sherwood. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

EAGAN—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Eagan took place yesterday afternoon from the funeral chambers of Higgins Bros., and wended its way to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. W. George Mullin. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings, and among them were: Large pillow

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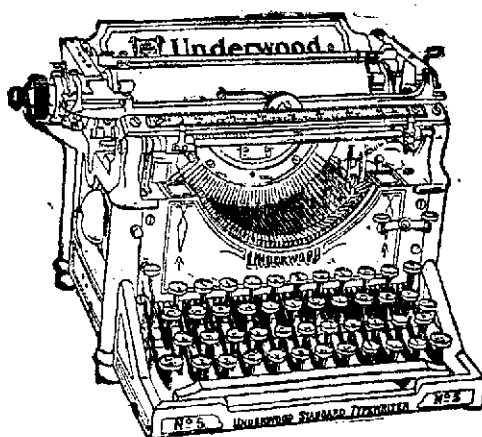
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with the inscription "Wife" from the husband, and placed on Richard Eagan's coffin. The funeral was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Carey, Mrs. Annie L. Dillon, Miss Mary Durkin and several others. The bearers were: John Eagan, Thomas Cuff, James J. Gertty and Richard Eagan. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's cemetery where the burial took place. The family lot, the committal prayers being read at the grave by Rev. W. George Mullin. The funeral was large, attended and under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

TURRELL—The funeral of the late Alexander H. Turrell took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from his late home, 32 Birch street, and was largely attended. The long funeral cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was sung. Rev. Owen McQuade, O.M.I., celebrant. Rev. William Mahoney, O.M.I., and Rev. among the many floral offerings was a large cushion pillow inscribed "Father" with the name of the deceased. The bearers were: Mr. and Mrs. John J. Turrell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Turrell and family, Mrs. Anna Bombardier, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perkins and family, Owens family, Michael Flannigan, Patrick Harrington and Charles Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Sorochan, Pilot Social club, Mr. and Mrs. James O'Leary and family, Nora and Joseph McNamara, friends of the United Shoe Machine Co., Brockton, Mass., Kenner and Parker Hurley of Brockton, Mrs. O'Dwyer and family, Mrs. Riley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Moriarty and family, Johnson family, Mr. and Mrs. James Duffy and family, Mrs. T. Joyce and family, Mrs. Greenwood and family, Miss Helen McCallough, Mrs. D. Briggs and Mrs. Cecil Homan, Mrs. J. H. Malone, Mrs. J. Carney, Mrs. W. A. Kirkpatrick, Le Cam family, Mrs. Harriet Harden, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Ryan, Mrs. Susan Murphy and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Murray. The bearers were: Joseph McNamara, Frank Le Cam, Patrick Barry, Bernard Kelly, John Kelly and Patrick Sorochan. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. W. George Mullin. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

CARD OF THANKS
We, the undersigned, wish to express our thanks to all those who by acts of kindness and words of consolation sympathized with us during our recent bereavement in the loss of our beloved sister and aunt, and also to thank Miss Mae Sullivan and the Misses Blanche and Edith Perreault, whose names were entered in the list of floral tributes.
Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rogers and family, Thos. Daly, Martin Daly, Peter Daly.

CAUSE OF EXPLOSION

Continued

"catastrophe could not have occurred through an accident."
Four Investigations
Police released two suspects, father and son named Cohen, arrested last night. Four different sets of investigators are at work.

President Vaulain said today: "The disaster occurred in the building devoted to loading shrapnel for the Russian government, which was commonly known as the baggage charge. There were 10,000 pieces of shrapnel in the building."

Three Explosions
"There were three explosions, it appears, in rapid succession with about 10 seconds between the first and the last."

"The plant had been inspected by the best experts in the country and pronounced exceptionally well designed in every respect in the design and construction of the building, accidents virtually were eliminated from the list of possibilities."

Provide for Families of Victims
President Vaulain said the families of those killed and injured would be provided for by the company.

Replying to a rumor that the Anglo-French commission had taken over the stock of the Eddystone Co., Mr. Johnston declared there was nothing in it. "The stock of the Eddystone is all in American hands," he said.

REVISED LIST OF FATALITIES
CHESTER, Pa., April 11.—Revised list of the fatalities resulting from the explosion yesterday at the shrapnel-loading plant of the Eddystone Ammunition corporation at North Eddystone, near here, placed the total at 122, the majority girls and young women. Between 12 and 140 men, women and children were injured, at least 10 being so burned and torn by shrapnel

fragments that death momentarily was expected.

Twenty-three Are Missing
Twenty-three others employed in the structure which was blown to splinters are missing.

Although police and company officials worked through the night attempting to establish identities of the dead they were hampered by the condition of the bodies and the fact that the time book, recording all employed in the structure, was destroyed by the first blast of the explosion. Some of the victims, company officials believe, were blown into the Delaware river, so that an exact calculation of the death list never may be possible.

Clear Away Wreckage

Gangs of laborers guarded by pickets, worked until an early hour today, clearing away the wreckage of the "F" building. Work was resumed as usual today in all departments except the box, loading and shell base departments which were housed in the ruined building. The plant will be in complete operation on April 24, it was announced.

Conspicuous Bravery

Instances of conspicuous bravery were numerous during the work of rescue. A short distance from the site of the building destroyed is the smokeless powder magazine of the company while nearby in the opposite direction is the building where shells are charged with smokeless powder. As exploding shrapnel filled the air with thousands of bullets a force of guards stood on the two endangered buildings and played streams of water on the roofs and sides to prevent additional fires with resulting explosions.

SUPERIOR COURT

In the case of Thomas Carey, of Concord, vs. Webster T. Robbins, of Acton, an action of tort in which the plaintiff claimed the defendant had converted to his own use one wooden building, the property of the plaintiff, the jury rendered a verdict of \$250. The case was tried at the civil session of the superior court and was brought to a close yesterday afternoon.

This morning an action of tort, in two counts, the ad damnum of both being \$10,000, was started before Justice Norton. The plaintiff is Nellie B.

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First class tool makers, machinists, grinders and screw machine operators, experienced on gun, revolver and pistol work.
Apply, G. R. Marsh, Richardson Hotel, Thursday.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let for light housekeeping. Apply 357 Central st.

WOMAN OR GIRL wanted to care for two children and so home nights. Apply after 6 o'clock, 2 Jewett ave., off Jewett st.

CITY OF LOWELL.
No. 124 Order, April 11, 1917.
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Anthony A. Conway, Alfred T. Willett, Globe Wine Company, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as Dealers, at No. 352 Gorham st., bulkhead in rear of 352 Gorham st., and front bulkhead in rear of 372 Gorham st., in three rooms on first floor, liquor to be kept, but not sold, in cellar.
By order of the License Commission, CHARLES H. HANSON, Chairman.

CITY OF LOWELL.
No. 125 O. O. V. April 11, 1917.
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Anthony A. Conway, Alfred T. Willett, Globe Wine Company, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as Common Victuallers, at Nos. 352-353 Gorham st., and bulkhead in rear of 352-353 Gorham st., in three rooms on first floor, liquor to be kept, but not sold, in cellar.
By order of the License Commission, CHARLES H. HANSON, Chairman.

CITY OF LOWELL.
No. 127 Ord. April 11, 1917.
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that George H. Barrett has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as Innholder at Nos. 128-129 Central st., bulkhead in rear of 128 Central st., one unnumbered door and one bulkhead in rear of 128 Central st., and two unnumbered doors, in Passageway leading from Central st. in all rooms of so-called New American Hotel and cellar.
By order of the License Commission, CHARLES H. HANSON, Chairman.

MRS. MARY HURLEY DIES AS RESULT OF FALL

Mrs. Mary Hurley died at St. John's hospital this morning as the result of a fall down a flight of stairs at her home, 52 Slackpole street, Monday evening. She was aged 47 years, and leaves to mourn her loss, two sons, Charles F. and John J. Hurley; five sisters, Miss Rose Scully, Mrs. John Conlon, Mrs. Catherine Lafferty and Mrs. Edward McGeever, all of Lowell, and Mrs. James Kilpatrick of Ireland, and four brothers, Joseph, James and Patrick of Lowell, and Charles of Manchester-by-the-Sea. Deceased was a resident of St. Patrick's parish for

25 years and recently removed to the Immaculate Conception parish. The body was removed from the hospital to the home of deceased, at 22 Slackpole street, by Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

RIOTING IN SEVERAL TOWNS IN BULGARIA

LONDON, April 11.—Rioting in several towns in Bulgaria is reported in a Reuter despatch from the French headquarters on the Macedonian front. In Sofia German cavalry is said to have charged the rioters, occasioning many casualties. In some cases the despatch reports Bulgarian troops have taken sides with the manifestants.

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1560 WASH DRESSES

Purchased from New York maker at 1-3 off. Their entire sample stock of all the newest styles for this spring and summer wear. Materials are Ginghams, Repp cloth, Linons, Chambray, English Crashes and Poplins. The newest high waisted styles, smocked dresses, plaited dresses, two-piece middies and embroidered scalloped effect. Some extra blומר dresses in this lot. Sizes 2 to 6 and 6 to 11 sizes in the assortment.



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U. S. WARSHIPS CAPTURE GUN RUNNER

SAN DIEGO, Calif., April 11.—A munitions-carrying schooner bound for a Mexican west coast port was fired upon and captured by two United States torpedo boat destroyers. It was learned last night from authoritative sources.

Five shots were fired at the vessel when it attempted to escape, and the ship was then beached. Several thousand rounds of rifle and machine gun ammunition were taken aboard a destroyer and landed at a Pacific coast port.

It is known that the destroyers have been scouting for a supposed munitions smuggling ship for more than a week. Monday the patrol boats sighted the schooner, which was southbound off the coast of California. The warships gave chase and when the captain of the schooner saw the capture was inevitable he is reported to have attempted to destroy his vessel.

The ammunition was taken off by motor launches from the destroyers. The identity of the captain and crew of the schooner has not been revealed. Persons in a position to know the full details of the action indicated that the ammunition was taken aboard the schooner at two Pacific coast points by fishing boats.

COAL DEALERS DISCUSS TRANSPORTATION

A meeting of coal dealers from Manchester, Nashua, Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill was held at the Richardson hotel, this city, yesterday afternoon to discuss ways and means by which better transportation service may be had along the Merrimack valley.

It was the sentiment of those present that the Merrimack valley cities have not been getting a square deal from railroads, and it was stated that with improved transportation lower prices would long ago have prevailed. It was voted to solicit the assistance of Congressmen Rogers and Thelan with a view to securing a better deal from railroads handling coal between the Merrimack valley and the coal fields.

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THE CHILDREN OF FRENCH REFUGEES

Friday evening, April 13th, 8 o'clock in Colonial Hall, under the auspices of the Lowell Art Association, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lindon Smith of Boston will give a talk on their work at the front, among the children of the French refugees. Stereoscopic slides from the French front and photographs. There will be no admission charge. The object of the lecture is to raise money by voluntary contribution for the work of caring for the destitute children of the French soldiers.

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JEWEL THEATRE NEWS

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THE LIFE STORY OF AL JENNINGS

THE FAMOUS BANDIT

You have read this story in the Saturday Evening Post—it has been produced in six reels by Thoms-

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house, and tells in detail the life of the famous Western bandit.

HANK MANN in "CHASED INTO LOVE"

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Third of the series of "UNCLE SAM'S DEFENDERS" and other fine pictures will complete a fine mid-week show.

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CROSS, FEVERISH CHILD IS BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated give "California Syrup of Figs."

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without gripping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When his little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic or a good "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of California Syrup of Figs, which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups, printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

U. S. PROBE CLEARS PROF. APPELMANN

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 11.—The record of Prof. Anton H. Appelmann, professor of German at the University of Vermont, whose alleged pro-German activities were investigated by a committee of the alumni, has been thoroughly probed by the United States government in America and abroad. This was learned from an authentic source yesterday. It was stated that no evidence of treasonable activity was discovered.

The alumni committee some time ago exonerated Prof. Appelmann in a majority report, a minority finding him guilty of un-Americanism. The trustees have not acted on this report. A letter from Prof. Appelmann to Greenville Howard of New York, just made public says: "At present my situation here is so bad that even my life is in danger, as I have been informed by people who know. If I am guilty and un-American I am willing to go. If I am found innocent and they will accept my solemn pledge to be loyal and faithful to this country and to the University of Vermont, let them see to it that I can go about my work peacefully, without being disturbed nor disturbing anyone else."

FIRE IN DRAUGHT

The residence of Mrs. Enoch Mills in Varnum road in the Collinsville section of Draught was in all probability saved from destruction yesterday by the prompt arrival of the recently purchased piece of motor fire apparatus and the efficient work of the firemen.

The fire started from a defective chimney and had worked its way through the roof before being discovered. A telephone alarm was sent to fire headquarters and in a few minutes the fire auto was on the scene and the fire extinguished. The flames before much damage was done.

ST. LOUIS' CHURCH

An entertainment for the benefit of St. Louis' church was held in the parochial school hall last evening. The affair, which was largely attended, was given under the auspices of the Children of Mary "Society" and under the personal direction of Miss Cecile Lalime. The program consisted of whist and musical and literary numbers.

We have just one hundred Sun flags left, first come, first served.

U. S. COMMISSION TO SIT IN ALLIED WAR COUNCIL

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It is understood that Col. Roosevelt, who made a spectacular visit to the White House yesterday, may be at the head of the commission.

There seems little doubt in official circles at the capital that Col. Roosevelt called upon President Wilson at the latter's express invitation, and that there has been under consideration at the White House for some time the utilization of the colonel's services in connection with America's avowed intention of giving all possible aid to the entente allies.

This commission would decide upon all points in connection with the participation of the United States in the war, and would form an essential part of the war council of the entente, discussing all matters of finance, men, munitions and other factors of the fighting.

Pushing War Plans

President Wilson and his cabinet at yesterday's meeting reviewed the many phases of war activities, found that every step possible to equip the army and navy and turn out munitions is under way, and decided that the most pressing needs of the nation now are to increase the supply of foodstuffs and ocean-going vessels and to raise sufficient money to finance America's part in the war and make liberal loans to the entente allies.

For present activities the allies are understood to be well supplied with munitions, and to have as many men in the field as they can equip and feed under present conditions. Through co-ordination of the munitions industry in the United States, and the raising of a large army, the United States will be in a position later to supply any need in either field.

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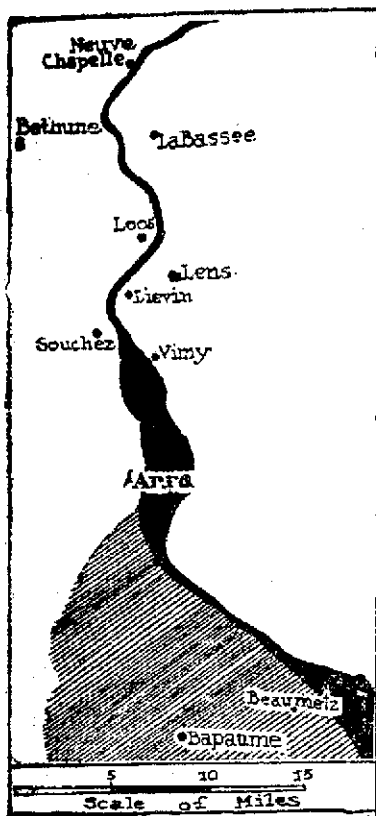
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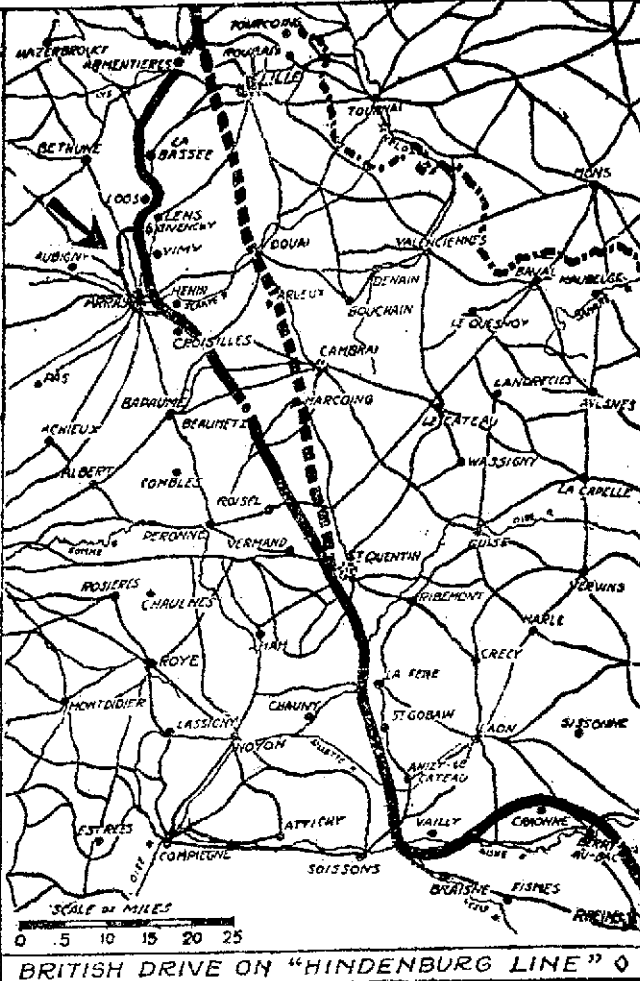
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BIGGER, BETTER, MORE GUNS ENABLE BRITISH TO BLAST WAY THROUGH GERMAN LINE



The larger map herewith shows the whole field of the present operations on the west front from Rheims to Ypres, the heavy black line marking the battle front as it stood before the British began their "spring drive" against the "Hindenburg line." The arrow indicates the part of the line where the British offensive was launched and the dotted line the position to which the Germans would retreat to straighten their front.

The smaller map shows the local position of the British advance in western France. The solid black area covers the ground gained in the first day's drive, as officially reported by the British. The heavily shaded area, just



south of Arras, shows that voluntarily abandoned by the Germans in their great retreat. It will be noted that the British gained considerably here also, simultaneously with their great attack further north. The attack was made, it also will be noted, just at the "joint"

"TWO PLATOON" BILL IS REJECTED IN SENATE

BOSTON, April 11.—The bill providing that permanent members of the fire department of a city or town must be divided into a day and night force, if the voters approve—the "Two-Platoon" bill, so-called—was rejected in the state senate yesterday, 15 to 17. Senator Fitzgerald gave notice that he would move a reconsideration today.

Optional Penny License Bill
Senator Lawler of Boston opposed the bill which would permit, but not compel, a no-license community to grant at least one express license for the shipment of liquor into its territory. The existing law provides that such communities must grant at least one such express license. Senators Eldridge of

"U. S. NEEDS FLIERS," SAYS MRS. PIERCE. "LET IT TAKE ME!"



MRS. WALDO PIERCE AND HER AERO

Mrs. Waldo Pierce, artist and aviator, has placed an aeroplane and her services at the disposal of the United States for scout duty. She now awaits the disposition of the authorities.

"It's absurd," she says, "this hanging to old prejudices and old traditions in this enlightened age. I am not a suffragist, but I believe in woman's rights. I believe if a woman wants to go to war and shoot she should be allowed to go. Let the men stay at home. There are more unmarried women in the country than married men, and there are an awful lot of them without employment. They are nobody dependent on them and no business to sacrifice."

"The country needs aviators. There are only a few men who can fly in the army, and I do not see why women aviators are not accepted. There are

only a few of them, but they are all good trained fliers. I do not believe they can train enough men to fly in any three months. It takes a year, I have been flying now almost a year, and I would not attempt any stunts. I think it would be a very good thing for women there if they could train for the army the same as men. It would act as an incentive for boys to go to the aviation. After all, I do not look at war as just going off and getting killed. Some of the men who go to war really have a good time."

"I'm not at all keen about running an automobile. There are hundreds of men and women who can do that, but I want to fly, and the country needs fliers."

Mrs. Pierce was Mrs. Dorothy Rice, daughter of the late Judge L. Rice, who left a large fortune.

and the flag and coat of arms of the commonwealth was passed to be engraved.

CHANGE IN NATIONAL FOREST AREA

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Acting on the recommendation of the secretary of agriculture, based on a field classification by the forest service, the president has issued a proclamation by which 40,150 acres are eliminated from the Crook national forest, Arizona. The largest single area involved is a tract of over 15,000 acres in the vicinity of Globe, Miami, and Cobre-Vale, Arizona. By the same proclamation a number of areas along the present boundary of the forest, totalling 21,550 acres, are included in it.

The eliminated land is in the mineral zone of the Globe mining district. A large part of the surface is covered by mining locations. There is practically no forest cover and the land has no value for watershed protection. The areas added to the national forest are situated along the west and south boundaries of what is known as the Gila river division, and were probably intended for inclusion in the national forest at the time of its creation but were omitted through mistake. They consist of a rough mountain land which has no agricultural value.

SIGHT OF 6 INCH GUN DROVE U-BOAT OFF

NEW YORK, April 10.—Sight of a six-inch gun on the stern of the Canadian Ausonia trained on them as they were about to discharge a torpedo to sink her caused the crew of a German U-boat to change their minds and retire out of harm's way according to officers of the vessel which docked here today. However, the submarine found another victim nearby and the Ausonia's passengers saw an unknown freighter suffer the fate their ship had just escaped.

The U-boat was sighted in clear weather and a smooth sea coming full speed toward the Ausonia, whose commander, Capt. W. H. Hissach, turned his ship so the stern gun could be brought to bear on the enemy. The crew waited until they believed the U-boat was almost near enough to launch a torpedo when they prepared to fire but suddenly the submarine veered sharply and sped in the direction of a vessel just above the horizon.

These on the Ausonia watched the U-boat approach closer and closer to the prey. Then suddenly there came a great explosion bursting from the unknown steamer which rapidly sank.

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WEISMAN AND PLANK (ABOVE)

ST. LOUIS, April 11.—Fleeter Jones, manager of the St. Louis Americans, says that he believes that pitching is 75 per cent. of a team's defense and that in Plank, Hamilton, Weisman and Koob he has the best left handers in either league. Of his right hand pitchers he considers Groom the best, but good work also is expected of Rogers, Park and Sathorn. He says that he has two outfields and that the strength of a team is in its substitutes. He has an understudy

for all his top-liners. Discussing the rest of his team, Jones said that Austin is a fixture at third and that Se-

veroid, first string catcher, is working his head off to keep a young rookie named Hale from stealing his job.

BRIGHT LOOKOUT FOR GERMAN SUBMARINES

BOSTON, April 10.—Captains and masters of all merchant vessels operating off the New England coast and as far as are urged by the commandant of the first naval district to keep a bright lookout for German submarines and report immediately to the nearest radio station period.

It is especially desirable that as much detailed information as possible

be given regarding the locality where the submarine is seen.

It was also reported today that a suspicious vessel had been sighted six miles south of the Nantuxet Lightship. This report came by radio from a British steamer.

The first naval district today took over the wireless station at Falmouth and hereafter will operate the plant.

The radio station will be in charge of Chief Electrician W. N. Meserve. The experienced radio men who were employed at the station will remain at their post as they have enrolled in the Naval Reserve force.

The navy reserve has had its baptism of active duty.

A live patrol service was begun last night. Throughout the blinding snow storm yesterday the navy's patrol fleet kept craft in the inner and outer harbor, the opening of the big guard patrol net, which is to guard the New England coast.

Promptly at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, about 75 of the reservists went to their base on the North shore. A simultaneous action occurred from Falmouth on the north to Chatham, and before the week is out the entire squadron will be in active operation.

More cooks are needed for the reserve, and while recruiting has been brisk, all branches of the service is in serious need of more men.

IN CHARGE OF OUR FOOD SUPPLY

Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the Belgian relief commission, has been asked by the council of national defense to take the chairmanship of a committee on food supply and prices during the war. The council expects through this committee to co-ordinate the various food distributing agencies

of the nation and prevent, as far as possible, speculation and other evils which would raise food prices to exorbitant levels.

Attention will be paid to the experience of European governments in handling the food question, and it is for the reason that Mr. Hoover's services will be of value. In this committee the government is expected to have an agency admirably equipped for assuming the general control of food production and distribution should it become necessary for the government to take this out of private hands.

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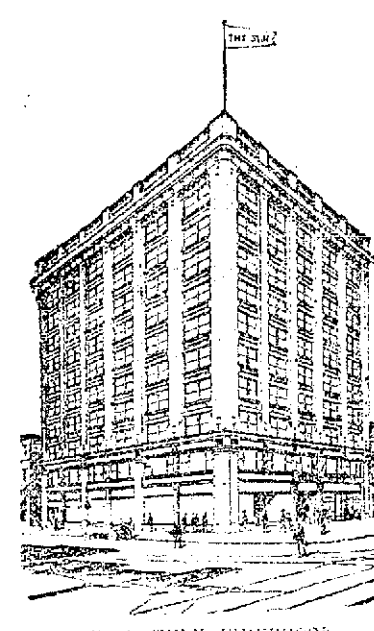
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TWO RESCUES

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The smoke wafted by a strong wind swept through the street and attracted hundreds of people to the scene. The fire was discovered at 6:20 o'clock by Patrolman P. R. Clark. He was passing the store when he saw coils of smoke issuing from the basement. He rushed across the street and pulled in an alarm from box 28 and the department was soon on the scene. The front door was pried open and help was rendered in the fire.

A man discovered almost overcome by smoke on the top floor of the building was assisted to the floor beneath and from that point down a ladder to safety by Lieut. J. W. Hildreth of the Protective and Life Marine. A woman was similarly taken down a ladder from the top floor to the second floor by Lieut. J. W. Hildreth of the Protective and Life Marine. The fire made its way through the partition which separates the basement from that of the Waldorf Lunch and the latter place was filled with smoke but the blaze in the partition was quickly extinguished.

The partition of the members of the department was shown in the American that was living from one of the upper story windows and Bert Hildreth of Truck 2 mounted one of the ladders and releasing the flag from the pole, passed it to John E. Ambrose of the Protective Co. who carried the Stars and Stripes safely to the street. The crowd cheered this patriotic episode.

The principal damage done was by smoke, each of the following occupants of the building suffering more or less loss: John C. Martin & Sons, the tailors; Thomas C. Hennessy, billiards; the White Way barber shop; the Waldorf Lunch and the Lambert & Monette store. On some of the upper floors also there were various clubs, rooms and a dance hall occupied by Leatherworkers' hall.

The good work of the firemen prevented the fire from spreading to the upper stories. There was considerable damage done the stock of Cook, Taylor & Co., next door to the scene of the fire, by smoke and water.

Food C. Church carried the insurance on the Thomas C. Hennessy building, and on the stock in the basement of the Cook, Taylor & Co's store.

FOR ADDITIONAL PAY
FOR GUARDSMEN

BILL ADVANCED A STAGE IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES YESTERDAY

BOSTON, April 11.—The bill to provide additional pay of \$10 a month for members of the National Guard when called into the service of the United States was advanced one stage in the Massachusetts house of representatives yesterday afternoon. Mr. Foley of Boston gave notice that on the next stage he would offer an amendment to increase the amount from \$10 to \$30.

The bill for state aid to dependents of soldiers, the amount fixed at \$10 a month was advanced one stage. Mr. Angley of Chelsea gave notice of his intention to offer an amendment to provide that the aid should not be withheld by reason of the fact that a soldier had money in a savings bank.

The appropriation of \$250 for re-

placing the flag of the Grand Army at the state house was passed through all stages under a suspension of the rules.

The bill providing for a special button to be worn by those recruited into the National Guard in response to the present call was advanced a stage under a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Martin of Hyde Park secured reconsideration of the vote of Monday, whereby the house rejected his bill for a five-cent fare from Hyde Park to Boston. He then moved that the bill be substituted for an adverse committee report and the house upheld him, 115 to 110, on a roll-call vote. The bill went into the orders for today.

Milk Producers' Bill Substituted

The house voted to substitute for an adverse report of the judiciary committee a bill to incorporate the New England Milk Producers' association.

The successful fight for substitution was led by Mr. Parbell of Bedford, who declared it was in the interest of milk producers and against the "milk trust." He was supported by Mr. Gleason of Andover, Mr. Collins of Amesbury, Mr. Sawyer of Ware, Mr. Lonsbury of Boston, Mr. Greenwood of Boston and others.

Mr. Burr of Mr. Kennard of Somerville and Mr. Berry of Lynn opposed substitution. Mr. Burr insisted that it was "nothing but a bill to permit the farmers to combine."

The "bread bill" over which the state was so much last week, was reached just before adjournment. Mr. Young of Weston gave notice that he would move an amendment today to provide that any article approved by the state department of health can be used in bread rather than any article commonly sold for use in bread.

The bill for three shifts of workers in paper mills was under discussion when the hour of adjournment was reached.

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**BISSELL'S STANDARD
CARPET SWEEPERS**

For this sale a limited quantity.
Priced
\$1.98

MRS. POTTS' IRONS

Set of three different sizes with stand and holder; 98c value for 69c
\$1.25 kind for 98c

ELECTRIC IRONS

Two styles to choose from, one with cord attached, the other with detachable plug, fully guaranteed, complete with cord and plug. Reg. \$3.50 value.
For This Sale **\$1.98**

**IRONING TABLES**

Good quality, folding, ratchet adjustment for raising, regular \$1.19 value.
98c Each
Skirt Boards. Good size, 5 ft. high; regular 98c value.
Priced 69c Each

**NICKEL TEA KETTLES**

Round goods, seamless copper nickel plated. No. 3 size. For this sale 98c Each
No. 4 size. For this sale 1.29 Each



Chalifoux's

ESTABLISHED 1875
CORNER

FIFTH
FLOOR

TAKE
ELEVATOR

Dry Mops

Fine white twine, for this sale 25c Each
Treated and Colored Black Mops. Special for 35c Each

**Floor Brooms**

Good quality corn. Liberal Brand, limited quantity, 69c value. Priced
49c



The O Cedar Mop and 50c bottle of Wizard Polish; \$1.25 value for 81c
The O Cedar Mop and 25c bottle of Wizard Polish; \$1.00 value for 68c

WINDOW BRUSHES

Good size, fine quality bristles for this sale 49c Each

GAS IRONS

Full size nickel finish and polished, complete with metal tubing. The wholesale price on these irons today is \$1.45. Priced for this sale,
\$1.00

ANNIVERSARY SALE

In Our Newly Enlarged House Furnishing Department

On account of the growth of this department we have taken our entire fifth floor, thereby enabling us to carry a much larger stock and giving us a chance to display it on a larger scale for the convenience of the shopping public. Thursday, Friday and Saturday we will offer special inducements made possible by purchase made before the advance in prices.

BOWLS
NEST OF (6) BLUE BANDED BOWLS


Priced for This Sale **49c**

Miller's Junior Lamps

Center Draught Burner, Jap bronze and black finish, complete with white dome shade. Just the lamp for your summer cottage. Priced **\$2.29**

111 Piece Dinner Sets
\$9.98


Regular \$15.00 value

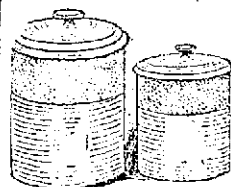
Pink, wild rose decoration on semi-porcelain—12 each tea, dinner, soup, and pie plates, 12 individual butters, 12 fruits, 12 cups and saucers, 1 each large and small meat platters, 1 covered vegetable dish, 1 uncovered vegetable dish, 1 covered casserole, 1 covered butter dish, 1 sauceboat, 1 pickle dish, 1 sugar bowl, 1 bowl.

Brown and White Earthen Cooking Sets
Set 79c


The above mentioned pieces sold separately would cost \$1.39
Special lot of Brown and White Covered Casseroles, worth 49c and 59c, quantity limited. Priced 29c and 39c
8 1/2 and 9 1/2 inch Brown and White Pie Plates. Priced 10c Each

STONE CROCKS

Covered, used for preserving eggs and other uses.



4 gallon size. For this sale **69c**
6 gallon size. For this sale **89c**
9 gallon size. For this sale **79c**

HEISEY'S GLASSWARE AT HALF PRICE

79c Bowls for 39c
59c Bowls at 29c
39c Bowls for 19c
39c Oval Dishes for 19c
59c Oval Dishes for 15c
98c Jugs for 49c
\$3.50 Punch Bowls for \$1.75
\$1.19 Tumblers for 60c
98c Whiskey Glasses for 39c

\$1.50 Casserole Baking Dishes, 98c

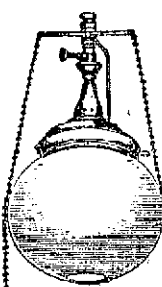
Nickel plated handled frame with 7 inch covered brown and white baking dish.

GAS RANGES

The "Chief" has three burners on top, with baking and broiling burner, five burners in all; \$12.50 value. Priced **\$9.98**
Two burner, black iron Gas Stoves; regular \$1.98 value. Priced **\$1.39**
Two burner, Star Burners, plain patterns, full nickel finish, Gas Stoves; regular \$2.75 value. Priced **\$1.98**

Stead's Inverted Gas Burners

Complete with chain by pass or lighter and with inverted arm; \$1.49 value, for this sale **98c**
Stead's Soft Inverted Mantles; regular 10c value for **5c**

**GRAY ENAMELED COOKING KETTLES**

Round, seamless covered, 6 quart size, usually 39c, for this sale 39c Each
8 quart size, usually 49c, for this sale 49c Each

TEA KETTLES

Gray enameled ware, seamless, flat bottoms, enameled covers, 7 quart size; regular price 98c, for this sale 59c Each

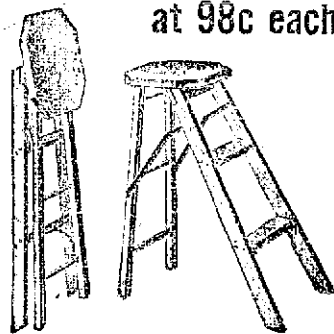
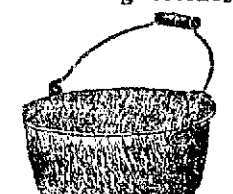
**DISH PANS**

GRAY ENAMELED WARE



14 quart size, rolled edge, seamless; regular price 69c each; 17 quart size, side handles, seamless, for this sale **39c Each**

THREE STEP FOLDING LADDERS—Fold up by simply grasping top, well made of heavy stock and varnished; regular \$1.49 value. Priced
at **98c each**

**Gray Enameled Preserving Kettles**

Seamless, wood grip on handles, 12 and 14 quart sizes, with 69c and 89c each. Choice 39c Each

DOUBLE BOILERS

Gray enameled, seamless covered, for cooking milk, rice, oatmeal, etc., 2 quart size; regular price 79c for this sale **49c**

WASH BOILERS

World's best brand heavy grade tin, metallic bottoms, wood handles; two largest sizes; regular value \$1.39 and \$1.98; choice of either size **\$1.47**

CLOTHES LINES

Norman Weatherproof, will not shrink or stretch.
50 ft. size 35c
75 ft. size 49c
100 ft. size 70c

OVAL WILLOW CLOTHES BASKETS
BEST QUALITY

Small size 98c
Medium size \$1.29
Large size \$1.39
Extra large size \$1.49

Cut Glass Fern Dish

Floral design cutting, complete with lining and preserved fern. Priced **\$1.49**

WATER PAILS

Seamless, Enameled, Steel Water Pails; regular 49c value, for 25c



Indurated plate or pulp, seamless and sanitary; regular 29c value. Priced 25c

BOWL AND PITCHER SETS


All White Enameled Steel, unselected goods, worth \$1.98. Priced \$1.25 Set
Crackerware; regular 98c value. Priced 69c Set

ENAMELWARE

Blue and White Enameled Saucepans; regular 29c value. Priced at 25c Each

Gray Enameled Saucepans; regular 29c value. Priced 19c Each

White Enameled Chambers; regular 49c value. Priced 39c Each

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CHOCOLATE SETS

Nippon China; regular \$1.38 value. Priced \$1.49

Nippon China; regular \$2.98 value. Priced \$1.98

Wizard Dustless Dusters; regular 25c value. Priced 15c

3 Dozen Clothes Pins for 5c

Shirt and Trousers Hangers 2c Each

Cut Glass Tumblers; regular 10c value. Priced 5c Each

Wallace Vacuum Electric Lamp; regular \$3.00 value. Priced \$1.99

Electric Lamps with silk shades; regular \$3.00 value. Priced \$1.99

Coffee Percolators, 8 cup size; regular \$3.00 value. Priced \$2.98

Set of Five Earthenware Bowls; regular price 98c. Priced 79c

Semi-Indirect Gas Fixtures; regular \$10.00 value. Priced \$6.59

2-Burner Blue Flame Cook Stoves; regular \$5.00 value. Priced \$3.50

Big Variety of Kitchen Knives; regular 50c value. Priced 29c

English Pocket Knife Blades; regular 25c value. Priced 19c Each

Sanitary Bread Board; regular \$1.00 value. Priced 49c

Upolstered Chair Seats; regular 50c value. Priced 25c

Dover Egg Beaters; regular 10c value. Priced 5c

La Bastie Lamp Chimneys; reg. 15c and 25c value. Priced 5c and 10c

CLOTHES DRYERS

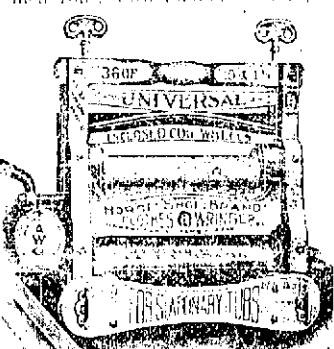
Embrace Clothes Dryers, they have ten arms, each 22 inches long, half the arms are of theta spread or fold up at one movement; regular 49c value for 49c
Special Lot of Semi Clothes Dryers, marked at 25c Each
Folding Wash Benches; regular price 75c. Marked
49c Each

CLOTHES BASKETS

Good quality, oblong, split, 25 inch size; priced 49c each, 25 inch size; priced 39c Each

**ALUMINUM OMELET OR
DOUBLE FRYING PANS**

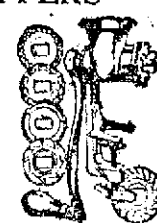

Regular \$1.50 value. Priced
at **\$1.38**



WASH BOARDS
Double, both sides can be used. 25c Each

FOOD CHOPPERS

Large size "Favorite" Food Choppers, five different size knives, four single and one double; regular \$1.25 value. For this sale, Each **69c**

**ECLIPSE BREAD MIXER**

Makes from one to eight loaves and the flour is raised and kneaded in three minutes. Price for this sale \$1.98

Oak Finish Medicine Cabinets; regular \$2.00 value. Priced \$1.50

Dover Irons (set of three); regular value 98c. Priced 79c

White Enameled Steel Medicine Cabinets; regular \$3.50 value. Priced \$3.00

Mahogany Candle Sticks; regular 50c value. Priced 49c

Large assortment of Cut Glass; regular 98c value. Priced 49c

Cut Glass Sugar and Cream Sets; regular 98c value. Priced 79c

Cut Glass Water Sets; regular \$1.00 value; 7 pieces for \$1.49

Cut Glass Water Sets; regular \$3.00 value; 7 pieces for \$3.98

Water Motor Washing Machines; regular \$15.00 value. Priced \$10.00

Little Wonder Gas Stoves, with oven; regular \$2.50 value. Priced \$2.25

Gas Ovens; regular \$1.50 value. Priced 98c Each

Steel Roasting Pans, regular prices 19c, 15c and 29c. Priced 8c, 10c, 12c and 15c

Covered Roasting and Baking Pans; regular 49c value for 25c

Victor Flour Sifters; regular 15c value. Priced 10c

Wooden Clothes Line Racks; regular 19c value for 5c

Vacuum Bottles, keep liquids hot for 24 hours; regular \$1.00 value. Priced 69c Each

Quaker White Silk Strainers

25c value 19c

Gray Enameled Charabers, second; regular 39c value. Priced 25c

Twine Chopping Bags; regular 55c value for 25c Each

World Brand Eight Day Nickel Alarm Clocks; regular \$5.25 value for \$2.00

Nickel Bell Alarm Clocks; regular \$1.75 value. Priced at \$1.25

Wear-Ever Aluminum, seamless covered, long handle, four quart saucepans; regular \$1.75 value. Priced \$1.23

Large Size Cast Aluminum Tea-kettles; regular value \$5.00. Priced \$3.25

Wooden Kitchen Clocks, 1-2

hour strike; regular \$4.50 value. Priced \$3.50

Bisque Mantel Clocks; regular \$2 value. Priced \$1.00

Camera Lunch Boxes; regular 25c value. Priced 18c

Aluminum Coffee Percolators, 8 cup size, with black enameled handles; value \$3.00 \$1.98 Each

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The Kimballs have won the bowling championship of the city for 1917.

First place in the City Bowling league became theirs last night when they ran rough-shod over the lowly Carrs and annexed four points. The league came to a close last night after a most successful season, and the Kimballs have won the trophy only after a hard fight. Consistent and brilliant rolling in the past few games told the story. The team as constituted this year included Myrick, Dooley, Dickey, Flanders, McQuaid and Jodoin. For the major part of the season the team took the dust of the Crescents and Newtons, but came fast when these two teams faltered.

Other games rolled last night found the Crescents taking three points from the Tri-Angulars, and Highland Daylight taking three from the White Ways. Steadman of the White Ways, with a three-string total of 344, topped the high individual honors last night, with McQuaid of the Kimballs close up with 342.

The scores:

WHITE WAYS			
Sweeney	57	102	79
Smith	83	89	87
Griffin	59	124	110
Stedman	110	136	98
Jodoin	121	124	92
Totals	501	575	466

HIGHLAND DAYLIGHT

Morgan	83	112	100
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Noonan	97	115	92
Brigham	107	103	105
Bellisle	115	96	81
Hall	99	97	112
Totals	399	393	390

CARRS

Kirane	97	115	92
McLaughlin	117	87	95
Murphy	92	92	81
Lane	85	86	89
O'Brien	120	795	85
Totals	501	455	443

KIMBALLS

Dooley, Myrick	85	89	104
Dickey	117	102	113
Flanders	109	111	112
McQuaid	102	127	115
Jodoin	98	84	119
Totals	517	514	557

TRI-ANGULARS

Lyons	94	91	81
McNeill	112	91	81
McNeill	89	113	95
Lyons	97	109	234
Burns	98	98	97
Totals	480	496	497

CRESCENTS

Jewett	101	99	112
Danahoe	79	105	85
Johnson	86	98	105
Lebrun	96	105	82
Kelley	106	88	102
Totals	467	497	495

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS OFFICIALLY TODAY

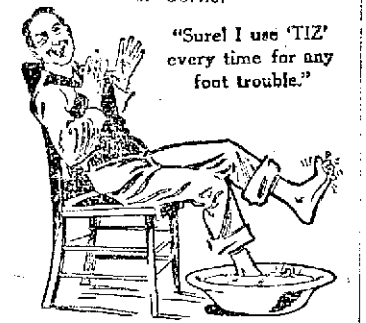
The 1917 baseball season makes its official entry today when the opening game in the American and National leagues will be played.

America's national game is ushered in for this year at a time when the country is engaged in thought over a much larger and more serious question, and the national thought is whether or not the same enthusiasm will attend the opening as in former years.

News of the teams in the southland

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TEXTILE SCHOOL EVENING CLASS GRADUATION

The 1917 evening class of the Lowell Textile school will be graduated this evening, about 100 young men receiving diplomas. This is the largest class ever to be graduated from the school.

The general public is invited to the exercises, and the buildings will be opened for inspection at 7 o'clock. Thomas O. Murkin, president of the Home Market club of Boston will be the principal speaker and Mayor James E. O'Donnell will present the diplomas. A. G. Cummins, president of the board of trustees will give the address of welcome.

FIRST AID LECTURE

The first lecture in a series of 10 to provide instruction for men as to the best thing to do in case of accident or sudden illness will be given at the Y.M.C.A. hall Wednesday evening, April 11, at 7:30 o'clock by Dr. Charles E. Simpson. This opening lecture will be free and will be illustrated with charts and models and specimens. The subject will be "The Human Body."

The course has the approval of the Red Cross society and at the close of the 10 lectures diplomas will be awarded to those who successfully pass the examinations.

The course is designed for adults and especially for employers and overseers in industries where accidents may occur and treatment is needed before the doctor can be secured.

STORY OF THE GROWTH OF THE TELEPHONE

Dr. Moses Greeley Parker, past president general of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution and one of the pioneers of the telephone industry in this country, told the story of the growth of the telephone before the Molly Varnum Chapter, D.A.R., at the Spalding house yesterday afternoon.

In part, Dr. Parker said: "Today the sound of the human voice is transmitted from New York to San Francisco, 3000 miles, in 16-10,000 part of a second."

"In early days wooden telephones were used; the switchboards were like blackboards, and boys were employed to stand before them and subscribers were called by using their names. Later smaller switchboards came into use and girls were employed to sit before them and this practice has continued to this day. The public was slow to realize that in the telephone it had a servant ready at all times for varied services."

Alexander Bell in the one man who conceived the idea of transmitting speech and produced it over a single wire, and his idea has been in use 40 years practically without change. The first words actually transmitted electrically and understood were spoken on March 10, 1876, when Mr. Bell said to Mr. Watson, "Come here, I want you."

In April, 1916, 40 years later, the same men talked, one in New York and the other in San Francisco, and they took the original instruments and could hear each other.

Dr. Parker showed a copy of a diminutive telephone less than three inches high, the original of which could actually be used. The number of patents issued for telephone and telegraph apparatus is 12,427. In the United States alone, sixty-five per cent. of the telephones in use are in the United States. Sixty per cent. of all wire used is in the United States. Fifty-seven per cent. of all money invested is in the United States. It has been proved that the more intelligent a state is the more telephones are found there.

New Haven had the first telephone exchange. Lowell had the first exchange in Massachusetts. In operating the Bell system, 10,000,000 telephone stations transmitting of telephone messages a year. In the multiple service established in 1879 it has been estimated that for the people of the United States 3000 years of time is saved in one year. A wireless message was sent from Arlington, Va., to Paris, France, and was heard in Honolulu, 5000 miles from Paris.

MAY CANCEL MARATHON RACE

BOSTON, April 11.—A special meeting of the athletic committee of the Boston Athletic association was called for today to consider the advisability of cancelling the American marathon race held on April 19 for the last twenty years over the roads from Ashland to this city. Many prominent runners have entered for this year's race.

HARVARD CREWS ON YACHTS

BOSTON, April 11.—Harvard university students will man two yachts which have been placed at the disposal of the government for coast patrol service. In addition to the 24th foot yacht given by George F. Baker of New York which has been renamed the Harvard it will provide a crew for a yacht 100 feet in length furnished by E. H. Ellison of this city.



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WAR BULLETINS AT THE BASEBALL PARKS

NEW YORK, April 11.—Baseball, the national safety valve for pent-up enthusiasm and nerve, took the ball today before the nation at war. The approval of the military authorities is evidenced by the fact that Major General Leonard Wood will open the American league season here by tossing out the new ball at the Polo grounds.

National league games are scheduled at Chicago, Cincinnati and Brooklyn. The opening game at Boston with New York in this league was declared off because the grounds are covered with snow. The season in the American league will start with games at St. Louis, Detroit, Philadelphia and New York.

The weather promises to be generally fair, but temperatures remain low. Club owners expect a fairly prosperous season but admit that receipts and attendance probably will be cut by the war. They are encouraged, however, by the fact that the International league games in Canada last summer were well attended.

Friends of the game declare that baseball this year will perform a national service by affording distraction from the grim tension of war. It is expected that bulletins of big events at the front will be displayed at the parks.

Before the game at the Polo grounds this afternoon the players of the New York American league club will perform military evolutions, in which they have been drilled for the past six weeks.

SACRED HEARTS BEAT OXFORDS

The Sacred Heart Social club team defeated the Oxford by the score of 34 to 20 in the Sacred Heart school hall in Moore street last night. The Sacred Heart team played rings around the Oxford at every stage of the game as the score plainly indicates. The features of the game were J. Keenan and Kennedy's shooting for the Sacred Hearts. They shot 24 and 11 baskets respectively. Mulvey's playing featured for the Oxford. Kennedy's shooting and a crowd of 200 attended. The Sacred Hearts would now like a return game with the Bulldogs.

JOE EAGAN DEFEATS KID GRAVES

BOSTON, April 11.—Reference Larry only did a humane act last night at the Armory A. A. when he stopped the bout between Joe Eagan and Kid Graves of Milwaukee, giving the former the award in the 10th round.

Mr. A. F. Sampson, field manager, also gave a brief talk on chain stores and how to combat them. At the close of the speaking several local grocers became affiliated with the society.

Get a Sun flag before they are all gone.

GROCERS DISCUSS THE CHAIN STORE PROBLEM

Representatives of the American Grocers' society came to Lowell yesterday, and last evening a meeting of the local grocers was held in the parlors of the New American hotel in Central street with a good attendance. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss

the chain store and its relation to the retail grocery trade.

John J. Horan, general manager of the society, was the principal speaker of the evening. He explained that the American grocers' society had been organized and was conducted on lines similar to those that governed the American Druggists' society. He said the society was purely a grocers' organization and all its officers are men who are actively engaged in the retail grocery business.

The speaker advocated co-operative buying on the part of the grocers as the only remedy to combat chain stores for this will enable the ordinary retailer to get his staple goods at the same price at which the chain stores get theirs.

The retail business is buying and selling," said Mr. Horan, "and the trouble with the ordinary retailer is that he pays too much stress on making sales and not enough stress on purchasing the things he is going to sell. You can't possibly compete with the chain store if the chain store sells goods at prices lower than yours, and the chain store will sell goods at lower prices than yours as long as you buy the way you are buying now."

"Every retailer knows that his competitor, his neighbor, his relative, will go a block past his store to a chain store to buy an article when the price at the chain store for that article is 1, 2, 3 or 5 cents less than he can sell it at. That is the competition that the ordinary retailer is up against, and the sooner he realizes it the more assured of success he will be."

Every second month the society sends to its members a price list. From this list the retailer makes his purchases, as the society has no salesmen. The society has a large warehouse at New York and is planning the erection of a still larger place in which to store its goods.

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HOME GARDENING WILL BE VERY POPULAR

"Home Gardening" was the topic of an interesting discussion at a regular meeting of the directors of the board of trade, held last evening at the Highland club. Supper was served under the direction of James F. Owens and the various lines of work started by the committee on public safety were explained.

The matter of home gardening was then taken up and the discussion that followed made it evident that there is a great demand for small tracts of land for the raising of garden truck. It was suggested that the board expend some money to have the land plowed and fertilized and that a small fee be charged for the privilege of using the land. The board voted to appropriate a sum of money necessary to do the preliminary work and a sum not to exceed \$1000 will be spent on putting the land in shape.

The work of public safety committee's sub-committee was discussed and the board pledged its influence to back up the local effort to prepare the city for any eventuality.

CONTRACTS AWARDED

Contracts have been awarded as follows for supplies for the streets and highways department: 50,000 hard burnt brick, D. T. Sullivan; oil, Standard Oil Co.; cement, Edward A. Carey, 1000 barrels of Portland, Vulcanite and Naxos brands, Van American Tar Co., and sewer castings, Doherty Bros.

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OUR INFLUENCE FOR WORLD PEACE

While the submarine warfare drove the United States into the European war, our being in it may, and undoubtedly will, serve a very useful purpose in reference to our future safety and world peace.

Until the United States declared war on Germany on April 6, there was no telling on which side victory would finally rest. But if it ultimately came to Germany, or if she even forced a compromise peace, the result would be greater armaments than ever, world wide preparation for a war greater, if possible, than the present, and one in which the scene of operations might be shifted to the western hemisphere. In fine, if we did not enter the war now on the side of the Allies, the probability is, that we should have to fight Germany alone in the not distant future.

If we stood aloof while the Allies were fighting for their very existence, we could not expect them to aid us if we were attacked by Germany on the Atlantic and by Japan on the Pacific. It is all very well to talk of keeping out of the war; but while German militarism survives, no nation is safe. By entering this war we are likely to hasten the end of the conflict and clinch the victory for the Allies.

In doing that we shall, in all probability, help to rid the earth of the twin curse of Prussian militarism and Hohenzollern plotting for pan-Germanism.

Should these results be attained they will probably bring a long era of world peace through a concert of the powers; and unless some scheme of world federation be adopted, we should have to prepare to meet two very formidable dangers.

The first would be an attack upon the Monroe Doctrine from Europe because of the fact that in this war we have cast aside our isolation and become a world power in the widest sense.

The second danger would be the yellow peril. California, Idaho and other states have repeatedly attempted to enact laws discriminating especially against the Japanese owning land and enjoying the privileges of citizenship.

Repeatedly have the federal authorities found it necessary to plead with these states not to enact legislation that would cause trouble between Japan and the United States. Japan has often protested quite bitterly against this action; and but for the friendly assurances and disavowal of the federal government she would undoubtedly have lined up with Mexico and other powers against us.

Japan is likely to train the Chinese in the arts of war, and if so, with their vast population, the yellow peril would then become a real menace to the United States. That is one of the possibilities against which the United States must provide as a world power. Hence a league or concert of the nations, including Japan, for world peace would be the best and most desirable method of overcoming this danger; but otherwise we shall have to depend upon alliances, Entente or otherwise, which generally result in counter combinations against the possibilities of war. Moreover when the United States representatives sit down at the peace table at the close of this war it is safe to say that they will have great influence in providing a settlement that will not mercilessly crush the vanquished and that will so far as possible provide for a federation of all the powers of the world for universal peace. Perhaps with the United States the strongest motive for joining such a world combination would be to overcome the two dangers mentioned.

THE KAISER MUST GO

Let the Kaiser abdicate and the war will be settled in short order. The leaders of the Russian Duma have made this proposition to the people of Germany. The trouble is that the German press is under such strict censorship that it cannot publish any criticism of the government. To say a word against the Kaiser would be flat treason for which the penalty of death would be immediately inflicted. Thus the people who have to do the fighting are kept in the dark as to world events. They are ordered to face superior numbers and they are forbidden to waver in the face of certain death. They must lay down their lives for the "Fatherland" which translated to its true meaning in this war, means the Kaiser. He has boasted of coming victory and has misled by the apparent invincibility of German arms, the people fought on and on in hopes that the final triumph would recompense them for all their sacrifices. Never in history did any people make such terrible sacrifices. Millions of brave men have been killed and now when the ample evidence that at least a large proportion of the men are not in a condition to fight, they are ordered to keep up the struggle against ever increasing odds.

The Kaiser set out to vanquish certain powers and to secure domination over the entire world; but having failed he is willing to sacrifice the entire nation before yielding to the foe. It is hoped, however, that the light of truth will penetrate the darkness in which the German people are held as to the actual conditions and that they will yet be delivered from the curse of Kaiserism in all its hideous forms, such as home-planning, liquid fire-throwing, the submarine slaughter, the scientific inoculation with the germs of disease, and the deportation and enslavement of men and women from the conquered territory.

With the Kaiser eliminated the Entente Allies would make a generous peace with the German people; but with the Hohenzollern never. The Kaiser must go.

EVERY CITIZEN A WATCHMAN

In this crisis in our national life every true American citizen should constitute himself a watchman without pay to guard the interests of the country and particularly the community in which he lives, against every form of treachery or intrigue against the government. The wrongdoers usually endeavor to keep out

of the way of the officers of the law but if every citizen is vigilant, they cannot long escape. But be careful not to do an injustice to any man through groundless suspicions or rash judgments.

OUR PART IN THE WAR

Whether the war lasts six months, twelve months or two years, it behooves the people of this nation to conserve the food supply and to produce all they can from the soil. This food supply will be largely depleted by exports to Europe and as a result the prices will go still higher. There is little probability of any fighting on American soil, yet the effects of the war will be felt not only in the matter of food but in the varied activities in all lines of military training and preparedness.

The United States navy will play an important part in meeting the submarine menace, and in addition, the government will furnish the Allies with military supplies of all kinds such as food, horses, mules, guns, shells and other lines of ammunition. The principal item that will count against the submarines, however, is the making of light tracer vessels of high speed at the rate of 60,000 tons a month to be put in commission to overcome the loss of tonnage due to the submarine warfare. That alone would deter the attack of the submarines, but there will be many other agencies that are expected to diminish of them permanently in a few months.

But perhaps the most important aid rendered to the Allies by the United States will be the financial assistance in the form of loans on favorable terms. As the war powers in time will come when the powers in the hands of the Allies will be the financial assistance in the form of loans on favorable terms. As the war powers in time will come when the powers in the hands of the Allies will be the financial assistance in the form of loans on favorable terms.

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involved will have to stop from financial exhaustion. It takes money in vast amounts to maintain a war and already some of the nations have almost reached the limit of their financial resources. With the aid provided by the United States the Allies can make a new start that should soon result in complete victory.

Unless the war lasts over six months more it is not likely that any men will be sent to fight in the trenches. Nevertheless, an army of at least 500,000 will be trained as soon as possible for that purpose in case it should be necessary.

Seen and Heard

It's a wise crow that knows its claim.

It is better to marry a woman who talks too much than one who does not talk at all.

As the moon rose out of a cloud bank in the eastern sky Sunday night a perfect cross radiated from it. Whether it is peculiar to Easter I do not know. I have mentioned it to have told me they have seen it before, and others who saw it Sunday night also say they have seen it on previous occasions, but never so brilliant. I could not take my eyes from it. It seemed so in keeping with the

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day and the significance of the glorious resurrection of Christ was brought home in startling reality. It seemed to stand out as the emblem of perfect peace for a world torn by strife.

Was a Good Guesser

Making a stop at the home of a family named Adams in a country place hereabouts a traveler who was inquiring his way had a pleasant little talk with the family. He remarked that as there was a glass at the well he guessed he would take a drink of Adams' ale.

When he was out of earshot the little girl of the house asked her mother: "How did he know our name is Adams?"

Maybe He Thought So

Little Robert, when school was in afternoon session, was playing about the neighborhood, being one of the children under the half-time plan. Children are not old enough to be interested in a conversation about the weather and so the usual question to which they are not at school do they like school. So when one of the women in the neighborhood saw him at play she asked: "Why aren't you at school, Robert?"

"I learn too much in the morning," was the reply.

High Cost of Sickness

There's been a great deal said about the high cost of living, but here's a yarn about the high cost of being sick as told by an autoist who has been nursing cuts and bruises. There were some sore places on his body that didn't heal the way they should. Hearing of an effective remedy that had been brought over from France, it had been most successful in war hospitals, his physician set about to get some. His favorite druggist had the formula and made up a couple of quarts.

"Pretty stiff price, isn't it?" asked the doctor when he was told it would cost 85 cents a quart, but the autoist said: "The high cost of drugs, you know." The physician made inquiry from his own pharmacist who had given him permission to use the formula and

PUT COLOR IN YOUR CHEEKS

There is no successful imitation of the glow of health.

Rich red blood showing through translucent skin means not only beauty but health. When your color fades you will find that your heart palpitates on slight exertion, such as climbing stairs, and that your breath is short and you lack ambition. All these things are symptoms of an anemic condition, of thin blood.

Try building up the blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Eat nourishing food, exercise a little in the open air daily and watch the color return to cheeks and lips. If you are below your normal weight you should take on one or two pounds a week under this treatment. And the first sign of improvement will be in your appetite.

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A Medical Mongooos

We can manufacture poisons within our own bodies which are as deadly as a snake's venom.

The liver acts as a guard over our well-being, sifting out the cinders and ashes from the general circulation. A blockade in the intestines piles a heavy burden upon the liver. If the intestines are choked or clogged up, the circulation of the blood becomes poisoned, the system becomes loaded with toxic waste, and we suffer from auto-intoxication or ptomaine poisoning. Something is wrong with the liver, and we suffer from headache, yellow coating of tongue, bad taste in mouth, nausea, or gas, acid dyspepsia, languor, debility, skin or eyes yellow, the water is scant and high colored, containing "brick-dust" deposits and bile pigments. At such times one should drink plenty of water between meals, and a pint of hot water before breakfast, and occasionally take a pleasant laxative. Such a one is made of the May-apple, leaves of aloë and root of lalap, first extracted and put in ready-to-use form by Dr. Pierce nearly fifty years ago and sold by druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

Do not take mineral oils or so-called "Russian Oil," for the experiments by R. F. McDonald have shown as lately reported in a government publication of the U. S. Public Health Service, that mineral oil may act as an irritant to the mucous membrane of the digestive tract, and that it may cause tuberculosis, simulating cancer.

The next important organ to be reckoned with is the kidneys. Kidney disease carries away a large percentage of our people. What can the ordinary person do to properly balance body health? The answer is not easy, but I advise everybody to eat less meat, eat coarser, plain food, with plenty of vegetables, drink plenty of water between meals, and take an uric acid solvent, such as Auric (double strength), before going to bed, for uric acid can be obtained at almost any drug store.

got this answer: "Tell him to charge you for the bottle and labels—that's the most expensive part. The rest costs nine cents a gallon to make."

Sweetest Words

"Inclosed find check." The sweetest words that ever uttered the song of birds! How they allay the widow's fears, and dry the orphan's briny tears! When sad and tired and short of cash, a letter comes by morning mail with other letters. It appears with postage stamps and ink smears. "No doubt," we sigh, "it is a dun; some frantic beggar is after me. These beastly bills we cannot pay take all the sunshine from the day, and make us wish that we were dead, with stacks of granite overhead." And then, with languid hands we tear the envelope to see what's there, and out there comes a note, by heck, with these brave words, "Inclosed find check." Ah, then we bid farewell to woe, and like nine Brahmas roosters crow, and to the soft drinks little repair, and buy a quart of soap-suds there. The sun once more is cutting hay, the gloomy clouds are blown away, the world is glad that was a week, changed by the words, "Inclosed find check."

Her Little Boy

Always a "little boy" to her. No matter how old he's grown. Her eyes are blind to the strands of gray. His voice is the same as the day he asked, "What makes the old cat purr?" Ever and ever he's just the same—A little boy to her.

Always a "little boy" to her. She heeds not the lines of care That furrow his face to her it is still. As it was in his boyhood, fair. His hopes and his joys are as dear to her. As they were in his small-boy days. He never changes; to her he's still "My little boy," she says.

Always a "little boy" to her. And to him she's the mother fair, With the laughing eyes and the cheering smile. Of the boyhood days back there. Back there, somewhere in the midst of years. Back there with the childish joy. And to her he is never the man we see. But always "her little boy."

Always a "little boy" to her. The ceaseless march of the years Goes rapidly by, but its drumbeats Ere ever they reach her ears. The smile that she sees is the smile of youth. The wrinkles are dimples of joy. His hair with its gray is as sunny as May. He is always "her little boy."

They Do Say

That Dowdy made a very cute little host Mon.

That the Mathews seem to know how to do things.

That the jockey girls looked just too cute for anything.

That the formation of the new battery got a fine start.

That the jitney owners will hold up their hands in horror.

That a man never does anything desperate if fed regularly.

That just as a matter of diversion, try kissing your own wife.

That we are enjoying a little winter weather at the present time.

That ignorance is more apt to stimulate argument than wisdom.

That there are people who still fall for the Dracut Navy Yard joke.

That many a man had to chase his hat down the street yesterday.

That sorrow is a bitter pill we all must swallow sooner or later.

That it is hard to state the exact length of a New England winter.

That in the case of great men genius and common-sense go hand in hand.

That the calendar maker has a good deal to do with numbering our days.

That the government did quick work with the amateur radio stations.

That Henry Street did not enjoy his trip to Boston in the automobile truck.

That the Aldermanic chamber was over-run with former solicitors yesterday.

That long periods of watchful waiting do not appeal to the men at the armory.

That the ball players had better stay in the southland for another month.

That "physical examination" seems to be the watchword at the armory these days.

That it is quite interesting to see a man wearing a straw hat while shoveling snow.

That the man who doesn't know



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DANIELS ASKS PAPERS NOT TO PRINT SHIP NEWS

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Efforts of the administration to limit the publication of facts concerning ship movements were discussed at yesterday's cabinet meeting, and afterward Sec. Daniels transmitted a request to all newspapers not to print the arrival or departure of any ship in the coastwise or international trade, or of any naval vessel.

Previously Mr. Daniels had informed the newspapers that publication of the arrivals of merchant ships was not objectionable, but it was agreed yesterday that even this was dangerous.

Sec. Daniels said last night he would undertake to see that no advertisements giving the dates of departures or arrivals of vessels be circulated. He will take up with the postoffice department the question of stopping the publication of the dates of the departures or arrivals by boat.

Walnut Club—Tonight.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

The following notices are from the press agents of the theatres mentioned.

B. F. KEITH THEATRE

Minstrelsy at its very best is purveyed at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, by Emmett J. Welch and his exceedingly competent company. There is nothing missing and the splendid quartet work by four of the singers will catch the fancy of every person who attends. A contra tenor who is bound to win attention is with this organization. But the whole thing is in good taste, and Mr. Welch makes as sure an introduction as has been made in a long time. "Homes Back That Ring" is the number which "Max Cooper" and "Helen Ricardo" offer, and it is as full of fun as any we have seen this season. His introduction is in a class by itself. Jack Kennedy, who in a farce called "Don't Do It" creates laughter right from the start, and keeps up interest all the way through. He is capably supported by Helen Ricardo. The Musical Jamboree are three xylophonists of real musical ability, and their program is one of the best put forward for this instrument. Arnold's dogs and monkeys—walking erect—complete an entire comedy skit without any sign of a human being on the stage. Other good points to the show are "Mae" and "Stanley" and "Marie Donoghue" the Irish thrush, and the Pathe News pictures which are most engrossing.

OPERA HOUSE

The most spectacular and dramatic success of the season is the verdict of those fortunate enough to have witnessed "Under Fire" as given by the Emerson Players at the Opera House this week. From start to finish there is never a dull moment, and as the story unfolds the audience is carried along with increasing interest until the great climax.

It is doubly interesting at the present time, owing to the national crisis, which furnishes an illuminating glimpse into what is going on in Europe at the present moment. The sensations come with great rapidity and are carried on with great cleverness and all the while the characters are true to life and not stagey in the least.

Scientifically it is one of the biggest things ever attempted on any stage and to Director Frank Wright and his able assistants much credit is due. The house in London and the village Inn in Belgium are artistic in the extreme and the trench on the English front, the vivid portrayal of French life, and the subsequent blowing up of the entire work are masterpieces of staging. And then there is the little church somewhere in France with its wounded and suffering. Taken all in all, it is one of the most ambitious efforts that any stock company has ever undertaken, and much credit must be given.

Clay Clement is romantic and yet convincing as Capt. Redmond, the hero, and Ann O'Day is charming in the extreme as the girl. "Under Fire" gives another of his splendid impersonations as Streetman, the German spy. The other members of the long cast, James Hadden, Ernest, Harry, Potter, John, Paul Courteau, William Gonnery, Walter Cain, Donald Burr, John Turner, Frederic Shinn, William Hutt, George, George, George, George, George, George, Gertrude Shirley and Gladys McLeod are excellent.

Order your seats now as there is sure to be a sell-out for the latter part of the week. Call 281 on the phone and avoid disappointment for "Under Fire" is the play you have been waiting to see.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Tonight will be the last opportunity to witness the production of "The Militant Maid" headed by Miss Grace Lewis, by the Miller Musical Comedy Co. at the Academy of Music for to-morrow there will be a change of show. Those who witnessed the performance yesterday and the day before are satisfied that the production is showing its appreciation of the large patronage by putting on high class musical comedy.

Miss Grace Lewis, the prima donna, is heard in several numbers which are greatly appreciated by the audience if the applause given her can be taken as a criterion, while the towns in which she appears during performance are the latest creations. Evelyn Lewis is a winner, her clever manipulation of the violin and bow, her dancing and singing together with the Paragon walk, being worthy of the applause she receives. Olive Perkins, that cute little girl, who sings and dances herself into favor, makes a decided hit with her rendition of "Make Hay While the Sun Shines."

The McLean Sisters, Chris and Marie, continue to please the audience and that they are general favorites in this city is well known to all theatregoers. Chris has a splendid opportunity to display her ability as a singer and dancer and last night she responded to many encores.

Hughie Flaherty, the mirth provoker, keeps the house in an uproar and his dancing beggars description. He is very active with his feet and introduces many original steps. Joe Taylor is there with plenty of good material to produce laughter, his originality being second to none. Dutch comedians, Joseph B. Cunningham, is possessed of an excellent voice and his solo work is well received by the audience. With Grace Lewis, "Turn Back the Universe" gives him ample opportunity to display the power and range of his voice.

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singing, dancing, specialties, etc. Ed. de Welch is a star. He is a whole show in himself, his versatility being his excellence. The chorus is made up of pretty girls, who can sing and dance and the beautiful costumes in which they appear all go to make the show one of the best that has been seen in this city this season.

Tomorrow afternoon there will be a change of show, the Miller Musical Comedy Co. presenting "Huckle and O'Brien in Paris" and "Don't Do It" and "Homes Back That Ring." The latter is an original piece and the costumes for this part of the show, together with special scenery, will make it a very attractive production.

THE PLAYHOUSE

The C. S. Playhouse road company, which has been entertaining the Lowell public at the Playhouse for the past two days, will close their successful engagement with a change of performance this evening. This will be the last chance offered to see this beautiful play, well acted by a strong cast with Miss Agnes Laidlaw in the principal role. The theme of this four-act drama is appealing and touching.



ELSIE BEECH

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universally. The scenic effects are artistic. It shows the dangers girls have to encounter in going out into the world to earn their own living. The prices at this evening's performance are 25, 35, 50 and 75c. This play is not a motion picture, and the management requests that no children apply for admission.

The second of the leading road companies scheduled to play at the Playhouse will be seen here on the last three days of this week, starting with the afternoon performance with matinee daily. This, too, is a four-act drama. It is entitled "The War Baby." This play was written to help to solve the problem of the orphaned and motherless children and who should provide for the child who was left behind through the death of its father in the defense of his country. It shows in a vivid manner how a girl to save her unborn

name, marries a rich financier, though she still loves the memory of the father of her child who had sacrificed for his country's good. Eventually it transpires the report of his death was false and he returns to find that the mother of his child is married to a man who ill treats her and torments her with the child. The sequel leads to court proceedings in which there is a climax. This play, written by E. M. Fox, was produced by the famous F. B. O. company, and has been running successfully to big business ever since, both in Europe and America. Special scenery and an excellent company of players enhance the attraction of the play.

The same popular prices will prevail for the showing of this play. Matinee, 25 and 50 cents. Evenings, 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents. To reserve seats, phone 1176.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

The closing performances of the first half of the week bill at the Merrimack Square Theatre will be given this evening and tomorrow. This will be the final opportunity given to the Lowell public to witness the splendid five-act drama, "The Family Honor," which is a play of the highest order. The play is a story of a young man who has also seen the stage production, and it is in part due to the leading star, Aubrey Smith, who is seen in the principal role of the play, which will make a phenomenal run. Also on this exceptional one program for today, only is the live act play of "The Family Honor," which is a play of the highest order. The play is a story of a young man who has also seen the stage production, and it is in part due to the leading star, Aubrey Smith, who is seen in the principal role of the play, which will make a phenomenal run.

The new bill of pictures which will be presented at the Merrimack square theatre during the next three days of this week will arrest the attention of every pleasure seeker in Lowell, for it is made up of stars and features of the first water. In the live-act picture, "The Family Honor," Robert Warwick and June Lynn appear in the principal roles. Miss Fannie Ward, one of the world's best comedians, is seen in the life of a young man who succumbs to her charms and forces him to steal in order that he may get money to shower on her. The play is a story of a young man who has also seen the stage production, and it is in part due to the leading star, Aubrey Smith, who is seen in the principal role of the play, which will make a phenomenal run.

The program for the next three days at the Merrimack square theatre is balanced by the other five-act picture, "The School for Husbands," in which an old favorite, Miss Fannie Ward, appears. In this play Miss Ward is seen in the life of a young man who succumbs to her charms and forces him to steal in order that he may get money to shower on her. The play is a story of a young man who has also seen the stage production, and it is in part due to the leading star, Aubrey Smith, who is seen in the principal role of the play, which will make a phenomenal run.

OWL THEATRE

In the chilly regions of Siberia where the political prisoners of Russia find through a tortured existence, love comes to the heroine of "Hearts Affair" in the strangest possible fashion. This newest Paramount picture, "Hearts Affair," is a picture of the highest order. The play is a story of a young man who has also seen the stage production, and it is in part due to the leading star, Aubrey Smith, who is seen in the principal role of the play, which will make a phenomenal run.

JEWEL THEATRE

For several years Al Jennings headed one of the most desperate bands of train robbers that ever infested the southwest. "Beating Back" tells the life story of Al Jennings and his famous operations, during those stirring old days. It was produced by Thanhouser, and is shown today and tomorrow at the Jewel theatre, in six reels of motion pictures. After many exciting adventures, which he describes in thrilling fashion, he was finally captured and sentenced to life imprisonment. His picture of prison life is a revelation. After five years Jennings was pardoned by President McKinley. He went back to his native state—once the Indian territory, now Oklahoma—and began his long struggle to live down the past. How well he has succeeded may be judged from the fact that he was nearly elected governor. He lost by a very small vote—so small that most Oklahomans believe it was really elected a picture scene character was Al Jennings and his famous operations. This film, dealing with war, is a timely play and is full of action from start to finish. Other excellent attractions will also be shown.

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good pictures will complete this fine mid-week performance.

ROYAL THEATRE

Jimmie Morrison, one of the standbys of the Vitaphone company for years, and considered one of the very best actors on the screen will be seen today and tomorrow at the Royal theatre in the five-act drama, "Two Men and a Woman," a problem play of unusual situations and clever character. The program which surrounds this picture is easily one of the best ever shown in Lowell with "Patricia," the last episode leading.

Mrs. Vernon Castle, who as a swimmer was severely tested in several of the episodes of "Patricia." As the heroine, respectively bent on teaching America the necessity of "preparation," she falls into the hands of unscrupulous enemies, who cast her overboard from the upper deck of a sound scenery.

Mrs. Vernon Castle, the best known woman in America, has many adventures in "Patricia." In one scene she is shown on the screen, clinging to the surface of the water, freeing herself from her bonds and tearing away the canvas which was her prison. The camera then graphically records her deathly removing her shoes and stockings and heavier garments and swimming out of the picture triumphant.

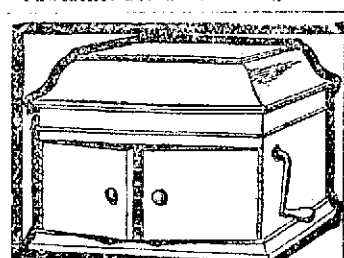
In the fifth chapter she escapes again from her foes by diving boldly into the sea, and swimming under water to escape the bullets sent after her. She is finally rescued far from shore by a pilot airplane. It is the first time in the history of the picture industry that a woman has been used in rescue work.

The picture shows her climbing aboard the hydroplane, very wet, but very glad to find that her throat is free from the little later she is seen under way in the hydroplane, skillfully manipulating a gun at a rapid rate and after her by her admirers.

CROWN THEATRE

The consequences of a trust falsely placed, the trust of an innocent girl in the ability of a gambler and a man of the world, make the background of the story of the east and west which forms "Gladys Brockwell's" latest starring picture, "One Touch of Sin." The picture is "One Touch of Sin," a vicious story of a woman who pays the price, in shame and sorrow, and the play which will be presented at the Crown theatre today and tomorrow. Other excellent attractions will also be presented at the Crown theatre today and tomorrow in conjunction with the feature film.

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Stove Pipe Enamel	10c, 15c, 25c, 45c
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BOMB EXPLOSION WRECKS PLANT AT BRIDGEPORT

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 11.—The authorities are today looking for a man, who, it is alleged, eluded the guard about the plant of the American Tube & Stamping Co. here late last night, placed an inflammable bomb in a storehouse. When the bomb exploded it set fire to the building which was destroyed. The contents it was stated, were chiefly bricks and cement and the loss was not heavy.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BURNS—The funeral of the late James P. Burns will take place Friday morning from the chapel of James P. O'Donnell & Sons. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church, the hour to be announced later. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

CHASE—Died April 11th, in this city, Helen Parker Chase, aged 82 years, 2 months and 11 days, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter I. Chase, 284 Gibson street. Private funeral services will be held at 284 Gibson street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

COOK—The funeral of the late Joseph E. Cook, will take place Wednesday afternoon from his home, Princeton street, North Chelmsford. Burial in the house at 2:30 o'clock. Burial in Riverside cemetery, North Chelmsford, in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

GRAY—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Gray will take place Friday morning from the home of her son, Peter W. Gray, 71 Whipple street, at 8 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church a funeral high mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Mack.

HAYES—The funeral of Mrs. Nellie Moriarty Hayes will take place Friday morning from her late home, 37 Lagrange street, at 8:15 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

HURLEY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hurley will take place Friday morning from her late home, 32 Stackpole street, at 8 o'clock. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons.

WHITESIDE—The funeral of the late John Whiteside will take place on Friday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 18 Seventh street. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Time will be announced later. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

WINS—The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Wins will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 10 Powell street. Solemn high mass will be celebrated at St. Margaret's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

DEATHS

HAYES—Mrs. Ellen Hayes, an old and respected resident of St. Patrick's parish, died yesterday at her home, 37 Lagrange street, at the age of 80 years.

She leaves her husband, James Hayes.

BILLINGS—Dexter Billings, a former resident of this city, died Monday at Woonsocket, R. I., after a long illness, at the age of 32 years, 8 months and 19 days. He leaves, besides his wife, Yvonne, a daughter, one sister, Mrs. Harry G. Jones of this city. The body will be moved to the home of Mrs. Jones, 23 West Bowers street.

COOK—Joseph E. Cook, a well known resident of North Chelmsford, died on Monday at his home, Princeton street, North Chelmsford. He leaves, besides his wife, two sons, Joseph E. and James Cook.

DOZOIS—Mrs. Marie Eugenie (Chenail) Dozois, wife of Alexandre L. Dozois, aged 58 years, 10 months, died last evening at her home, 129 Lombard st. Besides her husband, she leaves two sons, Henry and Louis Dozois; one daughter, Miss Alice; her mother, Mrs. Philomena Chenail; three brothers, Joseph in Canada, John of Lowell, Ct., and Fred of Lowell; five sisters, Mrs. Exilda Chenail, Mrs. Angelina Seneault, Mrs. Elodie Fortier, Mrs. Eleonore Lussier of Connecticut and Mrs. Eugene Lussier of Central Falls, R. I.

GREY—Mrs. Bridget Grey, for many years a well known and highly respected resident of the Sacred Heart parish, died last evening at the home of her son, Peter B. Grey, 71 Whipple street, after a lingering illness, at the age of 79 years. She leaves, besides three sons, John J., Michael J. and Peter B. Grey, one daughter, Mrs. Peter H. Donahue, and 16 grandchildren.

HAYES—Mrs. Nellie Moriarty Hayes, well known resident of St. Patrick's parish, died last night at her home, 37 Lagrange street. She is survived by a husband, James, and a niece, Mrs. Clarence B. LeGacy, of Haverhill, Mass.

WHITESIDE—John Whiteside, an old resident, died this morning at his late home, 18 Seventh street. Mr. Whiteside was an attendant of St. Michael's church for more than 25 years and was employed in the Merrimack and Boot mills for 24 years. He leaves a wife, Della Quigley Whiteside.

BURNS—James P. Burns, an esteemed resident of St. Peter's parish, died this morning at St. John's hospital, aged 57 years. He leaves two sons, Frederick M. and Raymond W., both of Lowell; four brothers, Joseph of Lowell, John of Uxbridge, Ct., William of Lawrence, and Thomas of Canada; two sisters, Mrs. Charles Willey of Canada, P. Q., and Mrs. George Shearer of Lyndville, Vt. Deceased was a member of the local Aerie of Eagles and local No. 49 Carpenters union. The body was taken to the chapel of James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS

BROWN—The funeral services of Miss Charlotte E. Brown were held at her home, 426 Fletcher street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Francis W. Brett, pastor of North Street M. church. The bearers were Hon. John J. Pickman, John W. Fraser, Charles H. Clouston and Edwin L. Sherwood. Burial was in St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

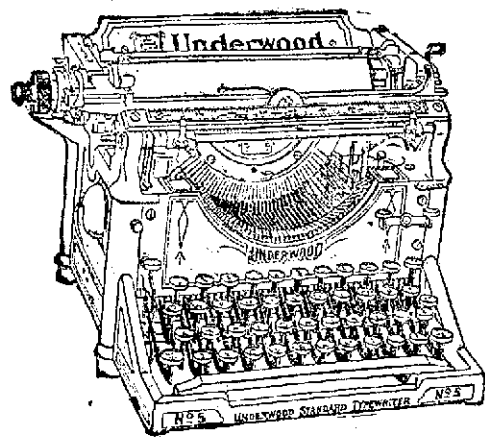
EAGAN—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Eagan took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the funeral chambers of Higgins Bros., and was followed by a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. W. George Mullin. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings, and among them were: Large pillow

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with the inscription "Wife," from the husband, and pieces from Richard Eagan, John Eagan and family, spiritual Louquett from Mrs. Mary Durkin and Anne L. Dillon, Miss Mary Durkin and several others. The bearers were Messrs. David J. Carey, Frank Carey, John Eagan, Thomas C. Egan, James P. Egan, Richard Eagan. The funeral was held at the funeral home of Higgins Bros. where the burial took place in the family lot, the committal prayer being read at the grave by Rev. W. George Mullin. The funeral was large, by attendance and under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

TYRRELL—The funeral of the late Alexander H. Tyrrell took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from his late home, 28 Birch street, and was largely attended. The long funeral cortege proceeded to the Hamamite Congregation church where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung. Rev. Owen McGuire, O.M.I., officiated. Among the many floral offerings was a large basket of flowers, a large wreath of white lilies, large funeral pillow inscribed "Father," Wm. Barr and George Tyrrell, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. John J. Tyrrell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Tyrrell and family, Mrs. Catherine Tyrrell and family, Miss Anna Donohue and family, Mrs. Robert Tyrrell and family, Mrs. Michael Tyrrell and family, Patrick Harrington and Charles Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Soraghan, Elmer Social club, Mr. and Mrs. James J. Soraghan, Leona Soraghan, Miss Margaret Soraghan, friends at the United Shot Machine Co., Brockton, May Kenney and Parker Hubert of Brockton, Mrs. O'Flaherty and family, Mrs. Libby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Moriarty and family, Johnson family, Mr. and Mrs. James J. and family, Mrs. T. Joyce and family, Mrs. Greenwood and family, Mrs. Helen McCallough, Mrs. G. B. Grant and Mrs. Cecil Hesmer, Mrs. J. H. Malone, Mrs. J. Curran, Mrs. W. A. Kipparick, Leona Soraghan, Miss Margaret Soraghan, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Ryan, Mrs. Susan Murphy and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Murry. The bearers were Joseph McNamara, Frank Le Cam, Patrick Berry, Bernard Kelly, John Kelly and Patrick Soraghan.

Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. W. McGuire, O.M.I. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

CARD OF THANKS
We, the undersigned, wish to express our thanks to all those who by acts of kindness and words of consolation sympathized with us during our recent bereavement in the loss of our beloved sister and aunt, and also to thank Mrs. Mae Sullivan and the Misses Blanche and Lillian Perreault, whose cards were omitted in the list of floral tributes.
Mrs. M. H. Rogers and Family, Mrs. Thos. Daly, Maria Daly, Peter Daly.

CAUSE OF EXPLOSION
Continued
catastrophe could not have occurred through an accident."

Four Investigations
Police released two suspects, father and son named Cohen, arrested last night. Four different acts of investigation are at work.
President Vanham and today:
"The disaster occurred in the building devoted to loading shrapnel for the Russian government with black powder, commonly known as the base charge. There were 10,000 pieces of shrapnel in the building."
Three Explosions
"There were three explosions, it appeared, rapid succession with about 15 seconds between the first and the last."
"The plant had been inspected by the best experts in the country and pronounced exceptionally well designed in every respect. In the design and construction of the buildings accidents virtually were eliminated from the list of possibilities."
Provide for Families of Victims
President Vanham said the families of those killed and injured would be provided for by the company.
Replying to a rumor that the Anglo-French commission had taken over the stock of the Edgelystone Co., Mr. Johnson declared there was nothing in it. "The stock of the Edgelystone is all in American hands," he said.

REVISED LISTS OF CASUALTIES
CHESTER, Pa., April 11. Revised lists of the fatalities resulting from the explosion yesterday at the shrapnel-loading plant of the Edgelystone Ammunition corporation at North Edgeley, Pa., near here, placed the dead at 127, the maimed girls and young women at 12, and the men, women and child were maimed at least 18 being so burned and torn by shrapnel

fragments that death momentarily was expected.

Twenty-three Are Missing
Twenty-three others employed in the structure which was blown to splinters are missing.
Although police and company officials worked through the night, attempting to establish identities of the dead they were hampered by the condition of the bodies and the fact that the time book, recording all employed in the structure, was destroyed by the first blast of the explosion. Some of the victims, company officials believe, were blown into the Delaware river, so that an exact registration of the death list never may be possible.

Clear Away Wreckage
Gangs of laborers, guarded by pickets, worked until an early hour today clearing away the wreckage of the "B" building. Work was resumed as usual today in all departments except the box, loading and shell base departments which were located in the ruined building. The plant will be in complete operation on April 24, it was announced.

Conspicuous Bravery
Instances of conspicuous bravery were numerous during the work of rescue. A short distance from the site of the building destroyed in the smokeless powder magazine of the company which nearly in the opposite direction is the building where shells are charged with smokeless powder. An exploding shrapnel filled the air with thousands of bullets a force of guards stood coolly on the two endangered buildings and played streams of water on the roofs and sides to prevent additional fires with resulting explosions.

SUPERIOR COURT
In the case of Thomas Carney, of Concord, vs. Webster C. Robinson, of Acton, an action of tort in which the plaintiff claimed the defendant had converted to his own use one of the wooden buildings, the property of the plaintiff, the jury rendered a verdict of \$250. The case was tried at the civil session of the superior court and was brought to a close yesterday afternoon.
"This morning an action of tort, in two counts, the first demand of both being \$100, was started by George B. Morton. The plaintiff is Nellie B.

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CITY OF LOWELL
April 11, 1917.
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 106 of the Revised Laws, that Anthony A. Conway, Alfred W. White, Globe Wine Company, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as follows: In room 372 of Graham st., building in rear of 372 Graham st., and unincorporated door in rear of 372 Graham st., in three rooms on first floor and in rear of 372 Graham st.

By order of the License Commission, CHARLES H. HANSON, Chairman.

CITY OF LOWELL
April 11, 1917.
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 106 of the Revised Laws, that George H. Barrow has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as follows: In room 126 of Central st., and two unincorporated doors in passageway leading from Central st., in all rooms on first floor, New American Hotel, and cellar.

By order of the License Commission, CHARLES H. HANSON, Chairman.

Fisher of Lexington, while the defendant is Hans Sorenson of the same place. The plaintiff in the first count claims damages for the death of her husband, which she claims occurred in a runaway accident May 25, 1916, the horse being the property of the defendant, who conducts a livery stable. In the second count she claims damages for injuries, which she alleges she received in the course of the accident.

HOLY ROSARY SOCIETY
The Holy Rosary sodality of the Sacred Heart parish is making plans to hold at catco party in the school hall on Friday evening, April 27.

The local evening newspaper is the paper that reaches the home when the whole family is there to read it. The Sun fills this field in Lowell.

MRS. MARY HURLEY DIES AS RESULT OF FALL

Mrs. Mary Hurley died at St. John's hospital this morning as the result of a fall down a flight of stairs at her home, 32 Stackpole street, Monday evening. She was aged 47 years, and leaves to mourn her loss, two sons, Charles E. and John J. Hurley; five sisters, Miss Rose Scully, Mrs. John Conlon, Mrs. Catherine Lafferty and Mrs. Edward McGovern, all of Lowell, and Mrs. James Kilpatrick of Ireland, and four brothers, Joseph, James and Patrick of Lowell, and Charles of Manchester-by-the-Sea. Deceased was a resident of St. Patrick's parish for

24 years and recently removed to the Immaculate Conception parish. The body was removed from the hospital to the home of deceased, at 32 Stackpole street, by Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

RIOTING IN SEVERAL TOWNS IN BULGARIA

LONDON, April 11.—Rioting in several towns in Bulgaria is reported in a frontier despatch from the French headquarters on the Macedonian front. In Sofia German cavalry is said to have charged the rioters, occasioning many casualties. In some cases the despatch reports Bulgarian troops have taken sides with the manifestants.

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U. S. WARSHIPS CAPTURE GUN RUNNER

SAN DIEGO, Calif., April 11.—A munitions-carrying schooner bound for a Mexico west coast port was fired upon and captured by two United States torpedo boat destroyers. It was learned last night from authoritative sources.

Five shots were fired at the vessel when it attempted to escape, and the ship was then beached. Several thousand rounds of rifle and machine gun ammunition were taken aboard a destroyer and landed at a Pacific coast port.

It is known that the destroyers have been scouting for a supposed munitions smuggling ship for more than a week. Monday the patrol boats sighted the schooner, which was southbound off the coast of California. The warships gave chase and when the captain of the schooner saw the capture was inevitable he is reported to have attempted to destroy his vessel.

The ammunition was taken off by motor launches from the destroyers. The identity of the captain and crew of the schooner has not been revealed. Persons in a position to know the full details of the action intimated that the ammunition was taken aboard the schooner at two Pacific coast points by fishing boats.

CROSS, FEVERISH CHILD IS BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED

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Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of California Syrup of Figs, which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

COAL DEALERS DISCUSS TRANSPORTATION

A meeting of coal dealers from Manchester, Nashua, Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill was held at the Richardson hotel, this city, yesterday afternoon to discuss ways and means by which better transportation service may be had along the Merrimack valley.

It was the sentiment of those present that the Merrimack valley cities have not been getting a square deal from railroads, and it was stated that with improved transportation lower prices would long ago have prevailed. It was voted to solicit the assistance of Congressmen Rogers and Phelan with a view to securing a better deal from railroads handling coal between the Merrimack valley and the coal fields.

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Friday evening, April 13th, 8 o'clock in Colonial Hall, under the auspices of the Lowell Art Association, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lindon Smith of Boston will give a talk on their work at the front, among the children of the French refugees. Stereoscopic slides from the French Government photographs. There will be no admission charge. The object of the lecture is to raise money by voluntary contribution for the work of caring for the destitute children of the French soldiers.

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OTHER FEATURES

U. S. COMMISSION TO SIT IN ALLIED WAR COUNCIL

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Decision was made by President Wilson and his cabinet yesterday to send an American war commission to Paris to sit with the similar body already representing the entente allies.

It is understood that Col. Roosevelt who made a spectacular visit to the White House yesterday may be at the head of the commission.

There seems little doubt in official circles at the capital that Col. Roosevelt called upon President Wilson at the latter's express invitation and that there has been under consideration at the White House for some time the utilization of the colonel's services in connection with America's avowed intention of giving all possible aid to the entente allies.

This commission would decide upon all points in connection with the participation of the United States in the war, and would form an essential part of the war council of the entente, discussing all matters of finance, munitions and other factors of the fighting.

President Wilson and his cabinet at yesterday's meeting reviewed the many phases of war activities, found that every step possible to equip the army and navy and turn out munitions as under way, and decided that the most pressing needs of the nation now are to increase the supply of foodstuffs and ocean-going vessels and to raise sufficient money to finance America's part in the war and make liberal loans to the entente allies.

For present activities the allies are understood to be well supplied with munitions, and to have as many men in the field as they can equip and feed under present conditions. Through a co-ordination of the munitions industry in the United States, and the raising of a large army, the United States is in a position now to supply any need in either field.

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defence, who are also members of the cabinet, have been studying the best methods of aiding in the defeat of Germany, and they took to the president word that the most pressing need of Europe is for food and money. Therefore the American government will seek to supply those with whom it is making common cause.

Appeal to Farmers

President Wilson personally appealed to farmers yesterday through the National Agricultural Society to make it their patriotic duty to increase the food supply of the nation, and Secretary Lane brought forward a plan for greatly increasing the acreage under cultivation on public lands.

To quickly meet the demand for ships, examination was begun of the condition of the German merchant vessels in American ports, which the government plans to use. It is probable that Major-General George

Goethals, builder of the Panama canal, would be placed in charge of the construction of the great fleet of 1000 wooden ocean-going vessels for the shipping board.

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE ALUMNI

An interesting meeting of the members of St. Joseph's College alumni was held last evening in the college hall in Merrimack street. The attendance was large and the meeting was presided over by W. P. Carver, Jr., an entertainment program was given and refreshments were served.

In the course of the evening the plans for the observance of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Marist order were explained and Rev. Bro. Bernardin, master of the local school, informed those present that the observance will be held May 21 and 22. On the first day a thanksgiving mass will be celebrated in St. Jean Baptiste church, while in the evening a solemn benediction will be held and a sermon will be given by Rev. L. A. Nordin, O.M.I. On the following day, May 22, an entertainment will be conducted in the college hall.

Get a Sun Day today.

AT ROLLAWAY

Last night was "Pay Night" at the Rollaway rink on Hurd street, and a large number took advantage of the chance to get in on the money prizes. As each person purchased a skate ticket an envelope was presented. The envelopes contained from one cent to two dollars. Tonight another of those enjoyable mid-week parties will be held, to which the general public is cordially invited. There will be ten prizes. On Friday night an invitation skating party will be held, and a large attendance is expected.

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Don't Let Soap Spoil Your Hair

When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain multiseed coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff—Adv.

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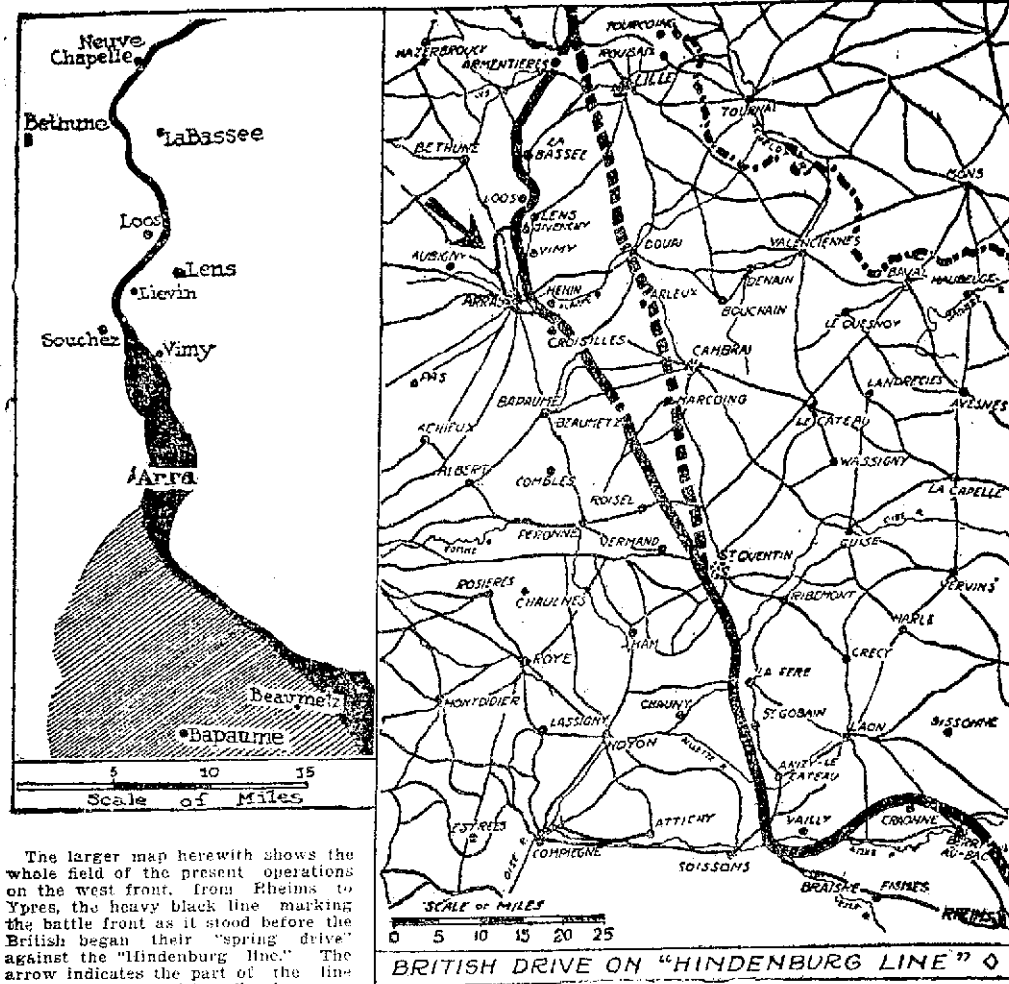
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BIGGER, BETTER, MORE GUNS ENABLE BRITISH TO BLAST WAY THROUGH GERMAN LINE



The larger map herewith shows the whole field of the present operations on the west front, from Rheims to Ypres, the heavy black line marking the battle front as it stood before the British began their "spring drive" against the "Hindenburg line." The arrow indicates the part of the line where the British offensive was launched and the dotted line the position to which the Germans would retreat to straighten their front. The smaller map shows the local position of the British advance in western France. The solid black area covers the ground gained in the first day's drive, as officially reported by the British. The heavily shaded area, just south of Arras, shows that voluntarily abandoned by the Germans in their great retreat. It will be noted that the British gained considerably here also, simultaneously with their great attack further north. The attack was made, it also will be noted, just at the "joint" between the old German line and that to which the Germans are retreating. By far the greater part of the British success against the German line is attributed to superior artillery preparation. One correspondent makes the amazing assertion that the British gunfire is twenty times stronger than the Germans'.
BRITISH DRIVE ON "HINDENBURG LINE"

"TWO PLATOON" BILL IS REJECTED IN SENATE

BOSTON, April 11.—The bill providing that permanent members of the fire department of a city or town must be divided into a day and night force, if the voters approve—the "Two-Platoon" bill, so-called—was rejected in the state senate yesterday, 16 to 17. Senator Fitzgerald gave notice that he would move a reconsideration today.

Optional Pony License Bill

Senator Lawler of Boston opposed the bill which would permit, but not compel, a no-license community to grant at least one express license for the shipment of liquor into its territory. The existing law provides that such communities must grant at least one such express license. Senators Eldridge of

"U. S. NEEDS FLIERS," SAYS MRS. PIERCE. "LET IT TAKE ME!"



MRS. WALDO PIERCE AND HER AERO

Mrs. Waldo Pierce, artist and aviator, has placed an aeroplane and her services at the disposal of the United States for scout duty. She now awaits the disposition of the authorities.

"It's absurd," she says, "this hanging to old prejudices and old traditions in this enlightened age. I am not a suffragist, but I believe in women's rights. I believe if a woman wants to go to war and shoot she should be allowed to go. Let the men stay at home. There are more unmarried women in the country than unmarried men, and there are an awful lot of them without employment. They have nobody dependent on them and no business to maintain."

"The country needs aviators. There are only a few men who can fly in the sky, and I do not see why women aviators are not accepted. There are only a few of them, but they are all good fliers. I do not believe they can train enough men to fly in any three months. It takes a year. I have been flying now almost a year, and I would not abandon any student. I think it would be a very good thing for women fliers if they could train for the army the same as men. It would set an incentive for more women to go into aviation. After all, I do not look at war as just going off and getting killed. Some of the men who go to war really have a good time."

"I'm not at all keen about running an airplane. There are hundreds of men and women who can do that, and I want to fly, and the country needs fliers."

Mrs. Pierce was Mrs. Dorothy Rice, daughter of Dr. J. B. Rice, who left a large fortune.

CHANGE IN NATIONAL FOREST AREA

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Acting on the recommendation of the secretary of agriculture, based on a field classification by the forest service, the president has issued a proclamation by which 49,160 acres are eliminated from the Crook national forest, Arizona. The largest single area involved is a tract of over 15,000 acres in the vicinity of Globe, Miami, and Cobre-Valle, Arizona. By the same proclamation a number of areas along the present boundary of the forest, totalling 31,560 acres, are included in it.

The eliminated land is in the mineral zone of the Globe mining district. A large part of the surface is covered by mining locations. There is practically no forest cover and the land has no value for watershed protection.

The areas added to the national forest are situated along the west and south boundaries of what is known as the Galiuro division, and were probably intended for inclusion in the national forest at the time of its creation but were omitted through mistake. They consist of a rough mountain land which has no agricultural value.

SIGHT OF 6 INCH GUN DROVE U-BOAT OFF

NEW YORK, April 10.—Sight of a six-inch gun on the stern of the liner Ausonia caused the crew of a German U-boat to change their minds and retire out of harm's way according to officers of the vessel which docked here today. However, the submarine found another victim nearby and the Ausonia's passengers saw an unknown freighter suffer the fate their ship had just escaped.

The U-boat was sighted in clear weather and a smooth sea coming full speed toward the Ausonia whose commander, Capt. W. H. Hossack, turned his ship so the stern gun could be brought to bear on the enemy. The crew waited until they believed the U-boat was almost near enough to launch a torpedo when they prepared to fire but suddenly the submarine veered sharply and sped in the direction of a vessel just above the horizon.

Those on the Ausonia watched the U-boat approach closer and closer to its prey. Then suddenly there came a great explosion burst from the unknown steamer which rapidly sank.

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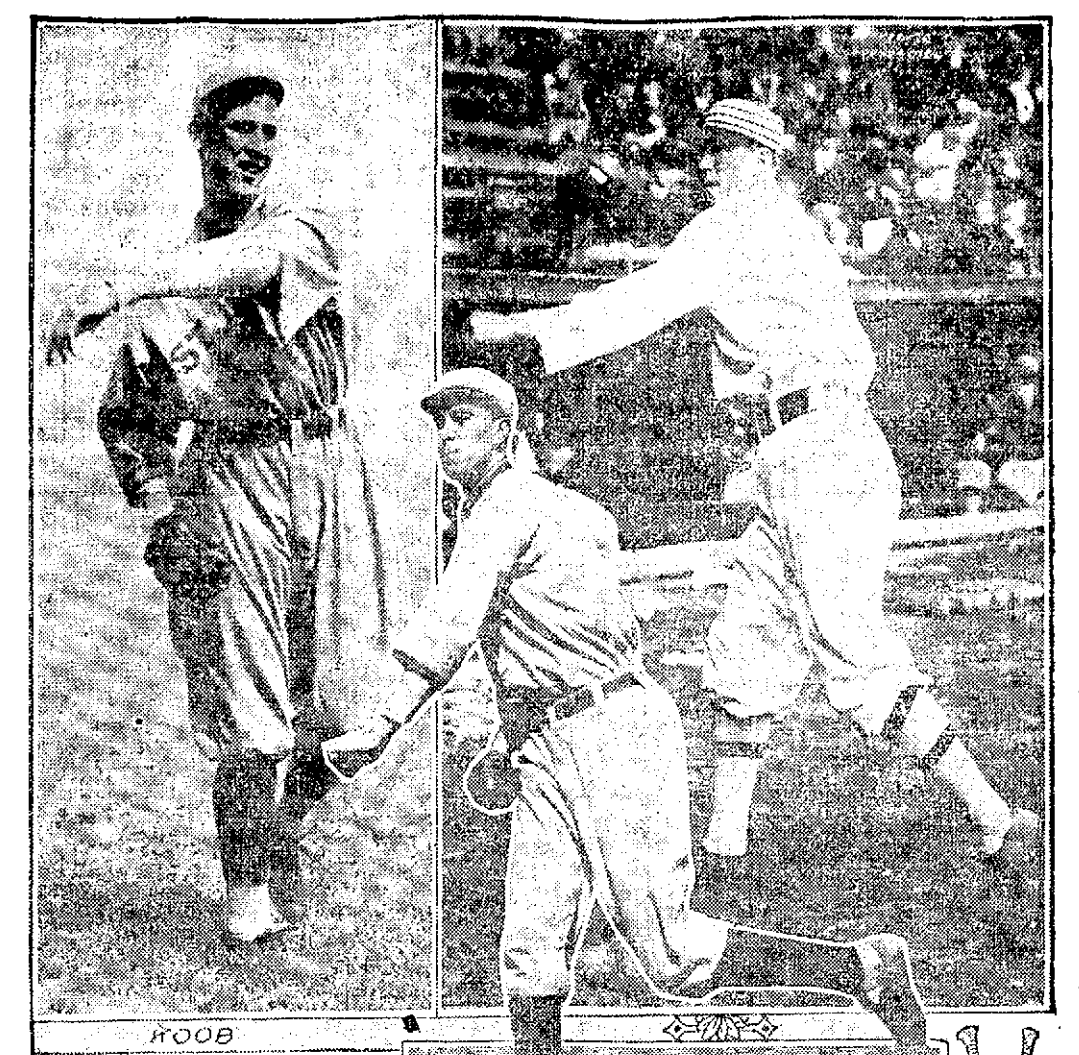
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WOOD

ST. LOUIS, April 11.—Fielder Jones, manager of the St. Louis Americans, says that he believes that pitching is 75 per cent. of a team's defense and that in Plank, Hamilton, Weisman and Koeh he has the best left handers in either league. Of his right hand pitchers he considers Brown the best, but good work also is expected of Rogers, Park and Solihon. He says that he has two outfields and that the strength of a team is in its substitutes. He has an understudy for all his top-liners. Discussing the rest of his team, Jones said that Ausonia's head off to keep a young rookie tin is a nature at third and that So-

BRIGHT LOOKOUT FOR GERMAN SUBMARINES

BOSTON, April 10.—Captains and masters of all merchant vessels operating off the New England coast and at sea, are urged by the commandant of the first naval district to keep a bright lookout for German submarines and report immediately to the nearest radio station.

It is especially desirable that as much detailed information as possible be given regarding the locality where the submarine is seen.

It was also reported today that a suspicious vessel had been sighted six miles south of the Nantucket Lightship. This report came by radio from a British steamer.

The first naval district today took over the wireless station at Falmouth and hereafter will operate the plant.

The radio station will be in charge of Chief Electrician W. N. Morse. The experienced radio men who were employed at the station will remain at their post as they have enrolled in the Naval Reserve force.

The navy reserve has had its baptism of service today.

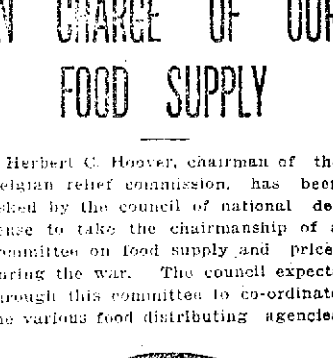
Active patrol service was begun last night. Thenceforth the blinding snow storm yesterday the reservists piloted their swift craft in the inner and outer harbor, the opening of the big anti-submarine service which is to guard the New England coast.

Promptly at 4 o'clock in the afternoon about 15 of the reservists went to their base on the North shore. Simultaneous action occurred from Eastport, on the north to Chatham, and before the week is out the entire squadron will be in active operation.

More cooks are needed for the reserve, and while recruiting has been brisk, all branches of the service is in serious need of more men.

IN CHARGE OF OUR FOOD SUPPLY

Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the Belgian relief commission, has been asked by the council of national defense to take the chairmanship of a committee on food supply and prices during the war. The council expects through this committee to co-ordinate the various food distributing agencies



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Today's Fashion Hint

ALL TO MATCH

This dainty wears a hat crown, a parasol, a sailor collar and a side plaited skirt, all out from the same piece of cloth, which however, in place of a handsome shantung, is played with black, white and pink. Watch how the black flickers.

of the nation and prevent, as far as possible, speculation and other evils which would raise food prices to exorbitant levels.

Economy in distribution, increased production and all other phases of the food problem will be covered in the work of this committee, which will seek to obtain the active co-operation of the food dealers.

Attention will be paid to the experience of European governments in handling the food question, and it is for this reason that Mr. Hoover's services will be of value. In this committee the government is expected to have an admirably equipped for assuming the general control of food production and distribution should it become necessary for the government to take this out of private hands.

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DETAIL FROM CO. C LEAVES FOR PARTS UNKNOWN

A detail of 16 privates, two corporals and a sergeant, all members of Company C, left the army this morning for parts unknown. The soldiers went out of town for they boarded a regular train at the railroad station, but where they went or what their mission is nobody knows except themselves and officials at headquarters. The detail is in charge of Sergeant Stock and Corporals Thomas and Walton. The departure of the detachment was responsible for the effect that the Sixth had on the Machine Gun company, which is a part of the Sixth regiment with headquarters at the Quinry, made its appearance at the Lowell armory. The soldiers, who took along with them all their equipment, including four Lewis machine guns, were properly fed upon their arrival and later they were given the use of the large drill hall as quarters. The company is in charge of Capt. George M. Downes. There are 53 men in the Sixth, is out on duty somewhere in the state and it is believed that within a month or two the remaining companies of the regiment and the band will also be doing outpost duty somewhere.

The physical examination by Major Brownley of the regular army, which was started at the local armory yesterday will be brought to a close today after the Machine Gun company has been examined. It was stated this morning that an average of about 15 per cent of the enlisted men failed to pass the examination, which it is said is one of the most rigid of its kind ever conducted here.

Sergeant W. J. Donnell has been appointed mess sergeant for the headquarters company.

The points served by the various companies this morning were as follows:

Company M—Corn Chowder, bread and butter, stewed peaches and cocoa.

Company G—Hamburg steak, mashed potatoes, rice pudding, egg sauce, bread and butter and coffee.

Company C—Hamburg steak, mashed potatoes, macaroni and tomato sauce, rice pudding, bread and butter and coffee.

Company K—Hamburg steak, stewed tomatoes, boiled potatoes, tapioca cream pudding, bread and butter and coffee.

The members of the Sixth regiment band and those of the Machine Gun company are being fed by the three companies of the Sixth, each company taking care of a like number.

The Sixth Regiment band has received sample copies of music and songs from wholesale houses and the latest received are as follows: "Remembrance for 1917," "Whitman & Son have sent the following numbers: "I'm Going Back to California" by Brennan & Hall; "The Magic of Your Eyes" by Penn; "I've Got the Sweetest Girl in Maryland" by Donaldson; "Twas Only an Irishman's Dream" by Connors; "Story of Old Glory" by the Flag We Love" by Ball; "How's Every Little Thing in Dixie" by Remicks; "There's a Wearing 'Em Higher in Hawaii" by Shapiro Bernstein.

These new selections are given by the band in afternoon concerts, the vocal parts being sung by "Babe" Rogers, a member of the organization. As soon as convenient the band will give a concert on the grounds of the French-American orphanage and St. Peter's orphanage for the benefit of the children in these institutions. A few days ago a concert of this kind was given before the Old Ladies' home in Fletcher street.

The latest recruits at the local naval recruiting station in charge of Chief Yeoman Tucker are as follows:

Harold Knox, Robert S. Swain, North Chelmsford; John Jones, Ernest Mills, Stanley Esick, Lawrence; Joseph Z. Hamelin, Arthur Harvath, George Morris, Lowell; Donald Bismarck, Salem, N. H.; Joseph L. Martin, Derry, N. H.

The following letter, which is self-explanatory has been received by Maj. Colby T. Kittredge of the Second Battalion, Sixth Regiment:

Lowell, Mass., April 9, 1917.

Maj. Colby T. Kittredge, Westford St. Armory, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir—Upon your official notification, we wish to say that we shall be very glad to furnish emergency transportation of military equipment or supplies, such as teams, horses, drays and men to drive, as we have, either for duty by day or by night and without compensation of any sort.

Respectfully,

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Necessary articles of equipment have also been received from Architect Henry L. Rourke.

evacuated by the Germans in the valley of the Somme. Many dugouts remained with only damaged portals but the trenches including all communications had been completely battered about. So successful was the artillery barrier set up by the British back of the German lines that some of the German prisoners reported they had been without food supplies for four days.

The heavy machine gun entanglements protecting the German positions were obliterated and only stray strands could be seen here and there on the first line.

Big Howitzers Captured

A cavalry corps had the unique distinction of capturing two big howitzers. They charged these guns in the open, killing several members of the crews before the others surrendered. A German motor transport column was captured intact. It had expected to meet German troops at a certain point but encountered British instead. The drivers said that when they left Douai there was no idea that the attackers had reached so far.

Thousands of German prisoners could be seen along the roads today. Some had little round caps and others were wearing the great coal-scuttle steel helmet. Although the intense cold continues only a few had overcoats. They are a docile lot and somewhat surprised their captors by carefully turning themselves into their respective units before being registered and temporarily caged. Sentinels were provided for the officers. Four of the latter have been in a furious rage ever since they were taken. They were in a forward observation post they said, and saw the infantry coming back from their front line but had no idea that they were actually retreating. Their anger was due to the failure of these troops to give them warning so that they could flee.

BRITISH VICTORY DESCRIBED

(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press)

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, via LONDON, April 11.—The speed and power of the British assault in what will probably be known in history as the battle of Arras seem to have thoroughly surprised the Germans.

So much so in fact that their usual retaliatory artillery fire has been absolutely negligible in the last 24 hours. This is partly due, of course, to the number of guns captured, which must be added to the number knocked out by the British artillery before the assault began. It also is due to the fact that the Germans have been too busy trying to get their remaining guns away from immediate danger to bother firing them at the enemy. In a German artillery position east of Arras, known as Battery No. 1, could be seen the remains of 24 guns taken today.

A trip over the newly taken lines revealed a condition of trenches closely approximating those recently

FOLLOW THE CROWD TO ASSOCIATE HALL

TOMORROW NIGHT AND ENJOY THE INDIAN CLUB'S MINSTREL SHOW AND DANCE

The Indian club, which scored such a tremendous success in minstrelsy last season, will conduct a minstrel show and dance in Associate hall tomorrow evening, and the indications are that this year's show will be even a greater success than the former one. The Indians are one of the most prominent social and athletic clubs in this city. They have been particularly strong on the gridiron, winning the state championship last season. They met and defeated all the strong independent teams of the state, and set a great record.

Tomorrow night the Indians plan to add another championship to their list by presenting a program worthy of the title holders. All the artists who helped to make last year's show a success are to appear tomorrow night, while several new acts have been added. The program is in charge of William H. Way and this fact alone assures a good performance. James E. Donnelly will again act as intercomedian, and everyone knows that the commissioner is "there" when it comes to running off a show.

On the ends some of Lowell's most talented performers will appear. For "end men" the club will present Joe (Doc) Carroll, Jim Daley, George McKenna and Charles Clancy, while the ladies will be Mrs. Mary Dutton Doherty and Miss Helen. The soloists will include John King, John Dalton, Jackson Palmer, Nora Regan, Longman, Mae Rynne and others. There will be a mixed chorus of 40 voices. After the show there will be dancing with music by Broderick's orchestra.

MATRIMONIAL

Smith—Giffman

Monday afternoon Walter K. Smith and Miss Mary A. Giffman were married at St. Michael's church by Rev. Francis J. Mullin. The bride wore a gray suit and picture hat to match and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The best man was Francis W. Duffy. The bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Giffman, wore a white dress and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. At the close of the ceremony a supper was served at the home of the bride's mother, R. J. Harvey catering. The bride's gift to the bride was a gold watch chain. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold watch chain. The couple received many beautiful and useful gifts. After an extended trip they will make their home in Lilley avenue.

Furey—Stowell

James Furey and Miss Anna Stowell were married Monday at the immaculate Conception rectory. The couple were attended by Miss Mary Stowell and William Furey.

O'Brien—Leclair

A pretty wedding took place Monday afternoon when Robert O'Brien and Miss Mabel Leclair were married, the ceremony being performed at St. Michael's rectory by Rev. Henry Tarrant. The bride wore white crepe de chine and carried a shower bouquet of sweet peas. She was attended by Miss Louise Nugent, who wore blue tulle with white lace overdress and she carried pink sweet peas. The flower girls were Misses Ruth and Doris Leclair, nieces of the bride, of Attleboro, and they were attended by Miss Mabel Leclair, sister of the bride. The best man was John Roche of Lynn. The bride's gift to the bride was a gold pendant and chain, while the bridegroom's favor to the best man was a gold watch chain. After an extended wedding trip to Boston, New York and Washington, the happy couple will make their home at 10 Webster avenue.

Will Tell of Their Work in France

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lindon Smith of Boston will give a free, illustrated lecture on their experiences in France, seeking and caring for refugees orphan children in the vicinity of the fighting lines, at Colonial hall, this city, on Friday evening, April 13.

It is hard to describe the story Mr. and Mrs. Smith will tell. Their work in France carried them perilously near the firing lines and they saw many of the thrilling nature of their experiences. The pictures shown are taken from actual French war photographs, and also, they have had slides made from many pictures which they themselves took.

In their work they found many homeless children, many of whom did not even know where their parents were, if, indeed, they knew them by name. A volunteer society was formed in France to conduct this kind of service, and it was to this society that Mr. and Mrs. Smith offered their services as field workers. The society has now grown to be international and great interest in this humanitarian work has been shown in this country. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have recently toured the middle west giving lectures and they have found a generous response everywhere.

The lecture Friday evening is absolutely free. The general public is invited and it is confidently expected that Colonial hall will be filled to capacity.

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BUTLER AMES APPOINTED HEAD OF STATE GUARD

Special to The Sun.

STATE HOUSE, Boston, April 11.—Former Congressman Butler Ames of Lowell was today designated by Gov. McCall as commander of the new state guard authorized by a recent act of the legislature. The guard is to be organized immediately and will consist of 500 men. His title has not yet been decided upon. It is expected he will have the rank of a brigadier general in the regular army.

Ames, who graduated from West Point in 1887 from Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1890, he later became lieutenant and adjutant of the Sixth regiment M.V.M., and in the Spanish-American war he was acting chief engineer of the camp of the division and saw active service in Porto Rico. He was later made lieutenant colonel of the Sixth regiment. As a member of congress he served on the committee on military affairs and foreign relations.

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Alis Chalmers	25	24 1/2	25
Am Beet Sugar	90 1/2	89	90 1/2
Am Can	14 1/2	14 1/4	14 1/2
Am Can pf	106 1/2	106	106 1/2
Am Car & Fu	90 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2
Am Car & Fu pf	110	109 1/2	110
Am Hides L Com	14 1/2	14 1/4	14 1/2
Am Hides L pf	40 1/2	40 1/4	40 1/2
Am Oil	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Am Oil pf	67	66 1/2	67
Am Smelt & R	98 1/2	98 1/4	98 1/2
Am Smelt & R pf	112 1/2	112 1/4	112 1/2
Am Sugar	49 1/2	49	49 1/2
Am Wool	30 1/2	30 1/4	30 1/2
Am Wool pf	97 1/2	97 1/4	97 1/2
Anaconda	80	79 1/2	80
Atchafalaya	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/2
Atlantic Gulf	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/2
Atlantic Gulf pf	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/2
Balt & Ohio	75 1/2	75 1/4	75 1/2
Balt & Ohio pf	75 1/2	75 1/4	75 1/2
Beth Steel A	122 1/2	122 1/4	122 1/2
Beth Steel B	122 1/2	122 1/4	122 1/2
Br Rap Trans	68 1/2	68 1/4	68 1/2
Cal Pet	20 1/2	20 1/4	20 1/2
Canadian Pa	158 1/2	158 1/4	158 1/2
Cast Pipe Com	58 1/2	58 1/4	58 1/2
Cast Pipe pf	58 1/2	58 1/4	58 1/2
Cent Leather	84 1/2	84 1/4	84 1/2
Ches & Ohio	58 1/2	58 1/4	58 1/2
Chi & Gt W Com	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
Chi & Gt W pf	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
Chile	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
Col Fuel	46 1/2	46 1/4	46 1/2
Consol Gas	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
Corn Products	96 1/2	96 1/4	96 1/2
Corn Products pf	96 1/2	96 1/4	96 1/2
Cruicible Steel	63 1/2	63 1/4	63 1/2
Cuba-Cane Sugar	43 1/2	43 1/4	43 1/2
Del & Hud	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Den & Ho	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
Dis Secur Co	16 1/2	16 1/4	16 1/2
Dis Secur pf	16 1/2	16 1/4	16 1/2
Erie 1st pf	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
Erie 2d pf	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
Gen Elec	163 1/2	163 1/4	163 1/2
Gen Motors	117 1/2	117 1/4	117 1/2
Goodrich	52 1/2	52 1/4	52 1/2
Gt North pf	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Illinois Cent	103 1/2	103 1/4	103 1/2
Illinois Cent pf	103 1/2	103 1/4	103 1/2
Int Mer Marine	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Int Mer Marine pf	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Int Paper	36 1/2	36 1/4	36 1/2
Kan City	112 1/2	112 1/4	112 1/2
Kan City pf	112 1/2	112 1/4	112 1/2
Lackawanna Steel	82 1/2	82 1/4	82 1/2
Lackawanna Steel pf	82 1/2	82 1/4	82 1/2
Lehigh Valley	64 1/2	64 1/4	64 1/2
Louis & Nash	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Maxwell 1st	67 1/2	67 1/4	67 1/2
Maxwell 2d	67 1/2	67 1/4	67 1/2
Met Petroleum	86 1/2	86 1/4	86 1/2
Met Petroleum pf	86 1/2	86 1/4	86 1/2
Nat Lead	56 1/2	56 1/4	56 1/2
Nat Lead pf	56 1/2	56 1/4	56 1/2
N Y Air Brake	140 1/2	140 1/4	140 1/2
N Y Air Brake pf	140 1/2	140 1/4	140 1/2
N Y Central	90 1/2	90 1/4	90 1/2
Nor & West	120 1/2	120 1/4	120 1/2
North Pacific	103 1/2	103 1/4	103 1/2
Ont & West	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
Pacific Mail	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
Pennsylvania	52 1/2	52 1/4	52 1/2
People's Gas	91 1/2	91 1/4	91 1/2
Pitts Coal	74 1/2	74 1/4	74 1/2
Pitts Coal pf	74 1/2	74 1/4	74 1/2
Pullman Co	150 1/2	150 1/4	150 1/2
Ry St Sp Com	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/2
Ry St Sp pf	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/2
Reading R & S	70 1/2	70 1/4	70 1/2
Rep I & S pf	101 1/2	101 1/4	101 1/2
St Paul	80 1/2	80 1/4	80 1/2
St Paul pf	80 1/2	80 1/4	80 1/2
So Pacific	92 1/2	92 1/4	92 1/2
Southern Ry	28 1/2	28 1/4	28 1/2
Southern Ry pf	28 1/2	28 1/4	28 1/2
Standard Oil	145 1/2	145 1/4	145 1/2
Union Pacific	117 1/2	117 1/4	117 1/2
Union Pacific pf	117 1/2	117 1/4	117 1/2
U S Steel	103 1/2	103 1/4	103 1/2
U S Steel pf	103 1/2	103 1/4	103 1/2
Utah Copper	40 1/2	40 1/4	40 1/2
Wabash A	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
Wabash B	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
Western Union	97 1/2	97 1/4	97 1/2
Wis Cen	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/2

\$20,000,000 TO DEFEND PENNSYLVANIA

BILL TO REPELL INVASIONS, SUPPRESS INSURRECTIONS, AND DEFEND STATE

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 11.—A bill providing for a bond issue not to exceed \$20,000,000 for the purpose of "repelling invasions, suppressing insurrections and defending the state in war" was introduced in the senate today.

OFFER OF N. Y. DENTISTS STIMULATES RECRUITING

NEW YORK, April 11.—Recruiting for the army and navy was stimulated here today by the services of volunteer dentists who will repair free of charge the teeth of all applicants who wish to prepare themselves for the physical examination.

STANDARD OF SILK COLORS PRESENTED BY MASSACHUSETTS SENATE

BOSTON, April 11.—A standard of silk colors was presented to the state department of the Grand Army of the Republic by the Massachusetts senate at the close of the veteran's annual encampment today. The presentation was followed by a patriotic outburst on the part of more than 500 delegates.

FUNERAL OF FRED A. MACGREGG

The funeral of Fred A. MacGregg, formerly of this city, will be held today at 10 o'clock from his home, 17 Davis street, Braintree. Relations were conducted at the home and were largely attended. There was a large number of delegates from the army of beautiful floral tributes indicative of the esteem in which Mr. MacGregg was held by his many friends. The funeral was in charge of the pastor of the church of the Holy Trinity, Braintree. The body was taken to the funeral home of the city.

AT NAVAL ACADEMY ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 11.—It was announced at the naval academy today that the present third class which would graduate in June, 1917 will graduate in June, 1918.

Bright, Sears & Co. WYMAN'S EXCHANGE Bankers and Brokers

CELEBRATE U. S. ENTRY INTO WAR AT PARIS

PARIS, April 11.—The entrance of the United States into the war was celebrated last night by a dinner given by the executive committee of the American relief clearing house, at which representatives of all the allied nations were present. Mr. Harjes presided. Mr. Harjes, alluding to the immense satisfaction felt by Americans in Paris at the accomplishment of an act they had so passionately desired, said:

"We have had and happily we still have at the head of our government a man who has inspired us with the greatest admiration and the most complete confidence, a man who watches over the destinies of our country with a conscience and a clearness of judgment equal to any trial we have known. He has made headway against the greatest difficulties and was competent to foresee all the reefs upon our course. We were persuaded that with time he would surmount all obstacles to the great well-being of our country and of the whole world."

Mr. Harjes spoke of American admiration for France and of the American people's belief in the French people's justice and liberty. The company broke into cheers as he proposed the health of President Poincare.

Minister of Justice Viviani expressed the gratitude of France for the help given by the clearing house in relieving the suffering among the French people. He was followed by the United States Ambassador Sharp, who said in part:

"Noble France, uncomplaining of the sacrifices which have so strongly appealed to the heart and conscience of my fellow countrymen, has assuredly pointed the way to victory through the eloquent words of her illustrious son, M. Viviani, in the pronounced principles for which she so valiantly fights. Little Belgium, whose heroic army fought like the Spartan patriots of old at the pass of Thermopylae, though able to defend but for a brief time its territory, battled so effectively as perhaps to determine the result of this world wide war. Belgium, through her eloquent minister of war, M. de Broqueville, pleaded for justice for the justice of her cause and voices her gratitude for the succor extended to her starving people."

HELD FOR GRAND JURY

Continued

into Lowell and was afraid he might lose it. The defendant, who is his cousin, was in the house when he returned from Lowell and the two and some others remained in the kitchen talking and smoking until an early hour in the morning. Witness said his sister had put the \$40 in her dress suit case which was under the bed in her room.

Mohamud went to bed early in the morning, leaving Ali in the kitchen. Upon awakening later in the morning his sister informed him that the dress suit case had been taken and Ali was missing. She discovered the loss when she started to sweep her room in the morning.

At this point the witness was questioned by counsel for the defense relative to what he knew about a murder which was committed in Springfield, asking if he knew that Ali had been a witness or had any connection with the affair. The witness said he had heard of the murder but did not know anything about it. His knowledge of Ali associating with Christians while in Springfield and the witness answered in the negative.

The sister of the former witness said that she and her husband kept a boarding and lodging house for employees of the Beaver Brook farm, and that the defendant, who is her cousin, had been living at the house for several months prior to March. She said that Mohamud had given her \$10 in money on Saturday night and she placed it in her dress suit case in which there was \$15 of her own money and placed the case under the bed. She arose about 5:30 o'clock Sunday morning and when sweeping the room about half an hour later she found that the case was not there and making further investigation could find no trace of Ali.

Mohamud Oued, a cousin of the previous witness, said he retired at 1 o'clock, leaving Ali in the kitchen. Some time later in the morning he got out of bed to get a drink and saw Ali near the room in which the dress suit case was. He was not sure whether the man was going into the room or coming out for he said he was half asleep at the time.

Ali denied, testifying in his own behalf, that he took the dress suit case or the money and said his reason for going to Springfield on Sunday was in order that he could go to work on the following morning. He said he had about \$22 when he left Lowell, and part of the money he had received for his four weeks at the Beaver Brook farm.

Witness said he went to bed about 11:30 or 12 o'clock Saturday night, slept until the morning, and did not know what time it was but it was daylight. He said he had previously told the people in the house that he

FINED FOR TREATING U. S. FLAG WITH CONTEMPT

PROVIDENCE, R. I., MAN TAXED \$100 FOR HAVING A GERMAN FLAG ABOVE AMERICAN FLAG

ATTLEBORO, April 11.—Marcel V. Godfrey of Providence, R. I., was fined \$100 today for treating the American flag with contempt. It is alleged that he entered a local restaurant with a German flag and above an upturned American flag on his coat.

TO TRANSPORT TROOPS

Ability of Railroads to Meet Demands of Government Discussed at Washington

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The ability of the railroads to meet demands of the government for transportation of troops, munitions and supplies was discussed today by President of the United States, Mr. Woodrow Wilson, and the chief heads of the railroads. The president, who is president of the Baltimore & Ohio and member of the council of national defense's advisory committee, a committee plan for military cooperation already has been worked out by the American Railway association.

Plans for co-operation in the movement of freight were discussed and two committees were appointed, one to draw up a plan of action and the other a set of resolutions.

Mr. Hadden, president of the Burlington, was made general chairman of the meeting. Mr. Willard and several of the railroad presidents emphasized the need of co-operation in meeting freight as the first of the problems confronting the railroads in connection with the war emergency.

The Sun is read daily in more houses in Lowell than any other newspaper.

SURVEY MASS. HARBORS

Plan to Make Them Available as Harbors of Refuge for a Coast Patrol Fleet

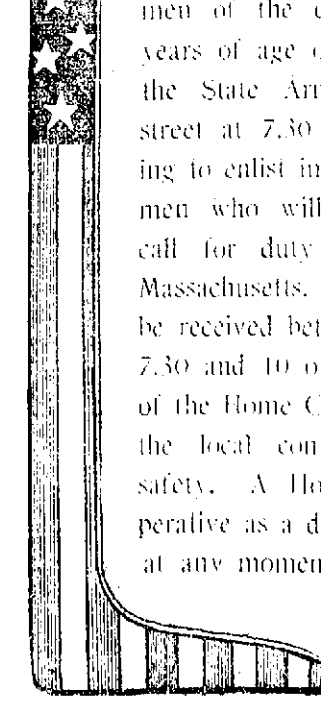
BOSTON, April 11.—The commission on waterways and public lands today instructed its engineers to begin a survey of all the small harbors along the Massachusetts coast with a view to making them available as harbors of refuge for the coast patrol fleet. Members of the board said many of these harbors could be utilized by submarine chasers and other small craft.

MADE MONEY EVERY NIGHT

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., April 11.—Whenever Charles E. Butler, negro, night janitor at the United States mint here, needed a little extra change he would go into the money press room. Federal detectives said today, but a little silver into the mold and make a new half dollar. Butler was arrested by a secret service operative who had been detailed to find out who had been tampering with the machinery of the press.

The small quantity of silver taken was not missed, although he made money, the officers said, every night. He had been in the government service for 25 years.

Today's Fashion Hint



SPARE	CUT UP	VEAL	PORK
RIBS	CHICKEN	STEAK	CHOPS
Half Sheets	Ready to Use	Leg Cuts, 31c Value	Note the Price
lb 12 1/2c	lb 22c	lb 22c	lb 22c

BEN HUR BREAD FLOUR, Bbl. in Cotton \$11.25—24 1/2 Lb. Bag \$1.43

SAUNDERS' MARKET

GORHAM AND SUMMER STS. Telephone 3890-1-2-3

PREMIER OF ITALY LAUDS MAIL OF U. S. S. REGULAR ARMY NEAR PRES. WILSON'S ACTION SAILORS IS CENSORED PEACE STRENGTH

ROME, April 11, via Paris.—Premier Boselli, speaking at the inauguration of an exhibition of photographs from all fronts which has been organized in the Capitoline museum said in reference to America's entrance into the war:

"Six hundred years ago Cola di Rienzi proclaimed from this capitol the rights of peoples. Today from another capitol, that of Washington, President Wilson has proclaimed the same rights, inviting the peoples to bind themselves with a pledge of love, embracing all civilized races."

The premier emphasized the importance of American intervention both from a moral and material standpoint. Every reference to the United States was greeted with loud cheers.

NO GERMAN COMMENT ON SOUTH AMERICA

COPENHAGEN, April 11, via London.—The German press has so far passed over the South American situation almost without comment. Despatches regarding the possibility of Brazil and other Latin-American republics joining the allies are given as little prominence as possible and no comment.

CARROLL POSTMASTER OF PROVIDENCE, R. I.

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PASTOR ARRESTED AND HELD IN \$10,000

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The Rev. Dr. William A. Crocker, pastor of the United People's church who was arrested yesterday under the Pennsylvania law which prohibits utterances seeking to discourage enlistment in the military service of the state or of the United States was of thirty today under \$10,000 bail. The law provides a penalty of imprisonment for not exceeding ten years and a fine of not more than \$5000 or both.

T. R. PLEASED OVER VISIT TO CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Theodore Roosevelt, following a day of conferences with President Wilson and congressional leaders regarding his project for seeing a division of troops for foreign service and seeing congressional leaders arranged to leave for New York today.

Mr. Roosevelt also arranged to communicate more fully to existing his views on his project to the chairman of the senate and house military committees.

Before departing the colonel expressed himself as pleased over his visit here.

Mr. Roosevelt left here at 11 o'clock for New York, saying he expected to go directly to his home at Oyster Bay. Before departing he conferred with several personal friends among them some senators and representatives.

QUARTERBACK LA ROCHE OF YALE TO ENLIST

BOSTON, April 11.—Charles La Roche of this city, quarterback of the Yale football team last fall, has been called by telegram from New York today to endorse his application for enlistment in the aviation corps. In complying with the request the mayor sent La Roche this message: "I hope you will fly as well against the enemy as you did against Harvard in the Yale bowl last fall."

Mr. La Roche also endorsed La Roche's application.

OSCAR T. CROSBY NAMED

Warrentown, Va., Man Appointed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Oscar T. Crosby of Warrentown, Va., was today appointed assistant secretary of the treasury. Mr. Crosby recently was connected with the American commission for relief of Belgium and by charge of the work in Belgium and northern France.

AGAINST WOMAN SUFFRAGE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 11.—A resolution to provide a referendum on amending the state constitution to permit women's suffrage was beaten in the Illinois senate today, receiving only nine favorable votes.

The Sun has the largest home delivery of any paper in Lowell.

CAN'T FIND DANDRUFF

Every bit of dandruff disappears after one or two applications of Dandruff rubbed well into the scalp with the finger tips. Get a 25-cent bottle of Dandruff at any drug store and save your hair. After a few applications you can't find a particle of dandruff or any falling hair and the scalp will never itch.

THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION BOSTON

The Sun goes into nearly every home in Lowell and vicinity. Merchants know that Sun readers respond to their advertisements.

THE LOWELL SUN

The Sun prints the news of the world when it is news and only such news as is fit to print. It is a clean family newspaper.

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OFFICIAL VOTE IN THE RECENT PRIMARIES

BOSTON, April 11.—An even split was the result of the battle at the polls a week ago yesterday between the progressive and conservative forces in state politics for the nominations for the delegate-at-large places in the coming constitutional convention, according to the figures given out at the office of the secretary of state yesterday.

Adams Leads
The official returns showed that Charles Francis Adams of Concord, treasurer of Harvard college and one of the candidates on the conservative slate, led the field with 52,417 votes, beating out former Gov. Walsh, who was thought up to yesterday to have led the ticket, by 1673 votes. Former Gov. Bates was third, John W. Cummings of Fall River fourth, and Dist. Atty. Joseph C. Pelletier of Boston fifth.

The conservatives who are lined up against the initiative and referendum won eight of the first 10 places, while the progressive faction won seven. John W. Cummings, the other candidate, was on both tickets.

Of the 32 candidates nominated who will go to the polls to fight it out for the 16 delegates-at-large seats, 16 places were won by the progressive forces and 15 by the conservatives. The odd man again being Mr. Cummings.

Nominated
*Charles Francis Adams, Concord 52,417
*David L. Wash, Fitchburg 48,744
*John L. Bates, Brookline 48,743
*John W. Cummings, Fall River 48,743
*Joseph C. Pelletier, Boston 48,743
*Sherman L. Whipple, Brookline 48,743
*Edwin U. Curtis, Boston 48,743
*Josiah Quincy, Boston 48,743
*Louis A. Coolidge, Milton 48,743
*Samuel J. Elder, Winchester 48,743
*Chas. P. Chase, Jr., Southboro 48,743
*Abbot L. Lowell, Cambridge 48,743
*Madison Hale, Boston 48,743
*Nathan Matthews, Boston 48,743
*George W. Coleman, Boston 48,743
*Joseph Walker, Brookline 48,743
*William H. Brooks, Holyoke 48,743
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*Patrick H. Jennings, Boston 48,743
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HARD TO FIND

The boy who does not wear out two pairs of trousers with every coat is indeed hard to find and if the second pair does not match the coat, what a picture. Our Boys' Suits from \$3.95 to \$12.00 all have two pairs of full lined pants—think it over, mothers. Merrimack Clothing Co., across from City Hall.

FURNITURE SALE

At Keyes', Thursday Afternoon, April 12, at 2.15

Goods consist of four tapestry rugs, 8-3x10-8, two rugs 6-2x9, 10 small rugs, one child's folding crib and mattress, two brass beds with 2-inch beds and National springs, one 5-piece parlor suite upholstered in brown genuine leather, three white iron beds with 2-inch posts and National springs, oak dresser and chiffonier, six ladies' raincoats, two oak rockers, odd chairs, etc.

Special at 2.30, four mahogany armchairs with leather seats, one oak settee upholstered in black leather, typewriter, one library bureau, one 9x12 rug, two office chairs, two oak armchairs, No. 7 range with hot water front, gas stove, parlor stove, a very nice Chickering square piano in excellent condition, mahogany chamber suite consisting of bed, spring, mattress, dresser, commode, two chairs, one rocker, one large black walnut extension table, oak dining table and chairs, one round table with book space several odd chairs, rockers, pictures and kitchen ware.

SUN BREVITIES

Best Printing, Tobin's, Assn. Bldg.

At 8.15 this morning Hoye 3 went to Eaton street to extinguish a grass fire, and 12.25 this afternoon. Hoye 10 was called to a field on Seventh avenue for a grass fire.

An attachment to the sum of \$1000 has been filed at the registry of deeds by Eusebe Chioine against Rose Belanger in an action of contract in the construction of a large garage in Billerica.

An alarm from box 4 at 6.24 o'clock this morning was for a fire in a closet in a house at 110 Lakeview avenue. The blaze was discovered before it had gained much headway and was extinguished before much damage was done.

Word has been received in Lowell that John Quinn, son of Mrs. Anna Quinn of 686 Bridge street, has enlisted in the Illinois National Guard and is now acting first lieutenant at the National recruiting station at Chicago. Mr. Quinn for some time was instructor at St. John's Military academy, Boston, Wis., and had the rank of captain.

Patrick Fay, while at work in Dutton street, where land is being excavated for the foundation for the addition to the Saco-Lowell shops this noon suffered an injury to his right arm as a result of being run over by a wagon. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to St. John's hospital.

Dr. Evangeline W. Young of Boston addressed a gathering of women in the parish house of St. Anne's church yesterday afternoon on the subject of social hygiene. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Florence Crittenton league with a view to the possible carrying on of some educational work along these lines, either through church organizations or special classes.

An alarm from box 11 at 12.35 o'clock this morning summoned a portion of the fire department to a slight blaze in a six-tenement block at 23 Hanover street. The fire started in a closet behind a stove in one of the tenements and was making rapid headway when discovered. The fire department was soon on the scene and extinguished the blaze before much damage was done.

In accordance with a suggestion made by Miss Julia Lathrop, head of the children's bureau, Washington, that the last week of April be observed in the schools throughout the country as oral hygiene week, Miss Clara E. Holland, supervisor of district nurses, and Dr. E. A. Kent, school dentist, will work together for the success of this week in Lowell. Talks will be given in all the schools on disease due to unclean teeth and the care of teeth and later in the week there will be tooth brush drills conducted by the school nurses.

\$100,000 LOSS BY FIRE AT CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, O., April 11.—Fire, believed to have been of incendiary origin early today completely destroyed the six-story Strawn building on Prospect avenue. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

BRITISH ADVANCE

LONDON, April 11, 2.11 p. m.—British troops yesterday advanced north of the village of Louverval, in the direction of Cambrai to the extent of a quarter of a mile along a front of 2000 yards and consolidated this gain during the night, telegraphs Reuters' correspondent from the British army headquarters in France.

Gardiner club dance, Lincoln hall, tonight.

MILK SHOW WINNERS

Prize ribbons, denoting winners of the first five places in the Lowell section of the milk show held in Springfield, Jan. 2-12, have been received at the office of the milk inspector and will be given to the winning retailers. First place was won by Aaron Oster.



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